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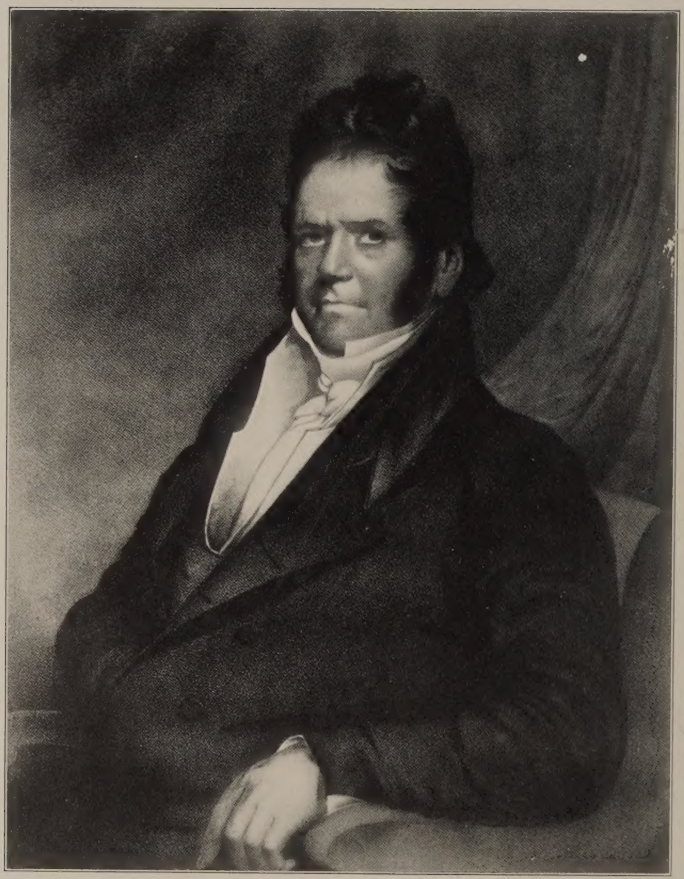

Edmund Winchester

Edmund Winchester.

From a painting, by Harding.

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TO THE MEMORY OF

MY COUSIN

THOMAS BRADLEE WINCHESTER

OF BOSTON

I DEDICATE THESE

WINCHESTER NOTES.

[*Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss, the compiler of this book, died after a short illness on January 24, 1912.*

While most of the book was in type when she was taken ill, she was unable to give much attention to the proofs or to make final revision. The book is issued, therefore, without the supervision of her who, for years, gave such devoted care and research to the work, and to whose efforts the publication of this volume is due.]

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PREFACE

This work was undertaken entirely for private circulation, and in collecting and compiling the following Winchester Notes my motive has been solely the desire to give to the great-grandchildren of Edmund Winchester, Sr., and their descendants, some knowledge of their ancestors in this country, his lineage and theirs, also to preserve for them many facts regarding our family of to-day, with its numerous connecting links, known to me, but which would probably be lost to them after my death. The greater part of these notes were collected between the years 1894 and 1900, revised and added to in 1904 and later. But, while searching for the information needed for the lineage of Edmund Winchester, much material in collateral lines, and many facts regarding the Winchesters of Maryland, came into my possession which I felt ought to be put into print, knowing that these would be of service to many, who, like myself, are trying to look into the past, and although these notes are fragmentary and incomplete, much necessarily being omitted, I hope they may prove, in the future, of some value to many Winchesters in the United States.

I have failed thus far to find any connecting link between the New England and the Maryland Winchesters, though each branch of the family dates back to early in the seventeenth century, the original ancestors having arrived in New England in 1635, and in Maryland in 1647, or earlier. There is still another family, apparently not related to either of the above, which claims descent from one William Winchester, who arrived in Maryland from London in 1729. Mrs. Louis Jones, one of the lineal descendants of the latter, sent me a list of her branch of the family, previous to her death in 1905. She was formerly Miss Lillian Winchester, a daughter of Hon. Boyd Winchester of Louisville, Ky. Mr. Winchester Hall of Pocomoke City, Md., gave me much material of this same lineage, to which he

belongs, and Mrs. Richard Persson of Memphis, Tenn., a granddaughter of Gen. James Winchester, also helped me with valuable information, sending me, in 1904, a chart of this particular family, all the members of which claim descent from the above William Winchester, the emigrant of 1729.

I have also had letters from Miss N. T. Winchester of Belair, Md., from Mr. William Hall, Cashier of the First National Bank of Gallatin, Tenn., and from Mr. William Winchester, President of the National Union Bank of Baltimore, Md., all belonging to this same lineage.

But Winchesters were in Maryland as early as 1647, and probably earlier, as the records of Kent Island mention a deed of one John Winchester in 1647, and a deed of sale to one Isaac Winchester in 1671.

From Isaac Winchester descends the Rev. James R. Winchester, Rector of the Church of the Ascension in St. Louis, Mo. His lineage I have followed to within one or two generations of Isaac Winchester, who first purchased an estate called "Purlevant," which was still in the family of the Rev. James R. Winchester until about 1850. Possibly others may be able to connect these different branches of the Winchesters of Maryland, though I have failed to discover any connecting link between them. Still, if this volume ever becomes the nucleus of a genealogy of the Winchesters of the United States, I think it will be found that they all go back to some one original family of Winchesters in Old England, as probably there we were all of one kin.

I wish to acknowledge my indebtedness to my cousin, Mr. Henry W. Cunningham of Boston, for much valuable information regarding the New England Winchesters.

FANNY WINCHESTER HOTCHKISS.

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[Mrs. Hotchkiss was taken ill while the last few pages of this work were being put into type, and died at her home in New Haven, Jan. 24, 1912.]

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CHAPTER I

JOHN WINCHESTER, SR.

Looking back to the old Winchesters, who came to New England over two hundred and seventy-five years ago, the first of whom was born in England nearly three centuries ago, in 1616, I do not find that they were men of note or known for their great deeds to mankind, but I do realize that they were men of strong character, earnest purpose and deep religious convictions, upright and useful citizens, holding many offices of trust in the communities of which they were members, and helpful in the upbuilding of the towns they selected for their homes, showing both ability and public spirit. They were truly the pioneers of the new world. They left the old country in order to find religious freedom in the new, and probably the right to live according to more liberal ideals than could be theirs in old England. They wanted to make their way in life, they needed land and found it in abundance in the wilderness, but the wilderness did not yield its wealth to these newcomers without hard labor and many tests of endurance, which strengthened character and developed the Puritan type. The first John Winchester was about nineteen years old when he came to New England in 1635. (James Savage, Vol. IV, p. 592.) He was made a freeman March 9, 1636-7. (Colonial Records, Vol. I, p. 194.) He had land granted to him in Hingham in 1636. He became a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, Mass., in 1638.

John Winchester of Muddy River (now Brookline), freeman 1637, died April 25, 1694, aged upwards of 80. Member of the Ancient and Honorable Company of Boston, Mass., in 1638. (Raikes' History of Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, 2d edition, Boston, 1842, p. 77.)

He probably remained in Hingham until 1647-8, and may have lived in Scituate, as he married there, Oct. 15, 1638, Hannah Sealis, daughter of Deacon Richard Sealis of that town. (Scituate Church Records, Vol. IX, p. 286.) By 1655-6 he had removed to Muddy River (now Brookline), where, with wife, Hannah, he joined the church of the old apostle, John Eliot, in Roxbury, Mass., in 1674 (Church Records), and where he held some town offices, being Surveyor for Brookline in 1664, 1669-70. (Boston Records, Vol. VII, pp. 23, 52.)

He made his will in 1691, and died in Brookline, Mass., April 25, 1694, leaving his estate to his sons John and Josiah. (Suffolk County Probate, Vol. XIII, p. 434.)

Inventory of John Winchester, Sr., £307, 10 s.

Hannah, his widow, died in Brookline, Sept. 18, 1697.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND HANNAH (SEALIS) WINCHESTER.

1. JOHN WINCHESTER, born in Hingham, Mass., 1642-3; baptized there June 2, 1644. (Hist. of Hingham, Mass., p. 330.) Married Joanna Stevens; died in Brookline, Mass., 1717-18.
2. MARY WINCHESTER, baptized in Hingham, Mass., March 26, 1648. (Hist. of Hingham, Vol. 2, p. B. 30.) Married (1) John Druce; (2) Rosamund or Erozoman Drew, or Drue. Rosamund Drue and Marie Druse were married Feb. 18, 1677. (Roxbury Town Records, p. 117.)
3. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, married Mary ——. "Jonathan Winchester—1679—Month 1—day 8—dyed of a fever." (Roxbury Land & Church Records, p. 183.)
4. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, born March 27; baptized May 20, 1655, at Roxbury, Mass. (Roxbury Church Records, by Rev. John Eliot, p. 121.) Married Dec. 10, 1678, Mary, daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon. She was born 1650; died July 27, 1730. He died Feb. 22, 1728.

RICHARD SEALIS.

(Also written Sellice and Seales.)

HANNAH SEALIS married JOHN WINCHESTER, Oct. 15, 1638. (Scituate Church Records.)

Deacon Richard Sealis, or Sellice, was one of Mr. Lothrop's church, who appears in Scituate, Mass., in 1634. He joined the church in Scituate Dec. 24, 1637, and was elected a Deacon.

By his first wife, whose name is unknown, he had born in England: Hannah, who married John Winchester, Oct. 15, 1638; and Hester, who married Samuel Jackson, November, 1639. He married (2d), probably in England, Eglin Hanford (maiden name Hatherly), who had twice been a widow. Her first husband was the father of Edward Foster, lawyer; she was the mother of Rev. Thomas Hanford, and the sister of the venerable Timothy Hatherly, who came to Plymouth in 1623, was a magistrate at Falmouth, and the founder of the town of Scituate.

Richard Sealis was one of the Conihassett partners in 1646.

Richard Sealis died in 1656. In his will, dated 17, 7 mo., 1653, Richard Sealis styles himself "planter," names his wife, Eglin, his daughter, Hannah Winchester, and John Winchester, and another daughter, Hester, wife of Samuel Jackson. Witnessed by Charles, Isaac and Ichabod Chauncye.

(History of Scituate, Mass., by Samuel Dean; Scituate Church Records; Savage, Vol. IV, p. 44; also Genealogical Register, 1851, p. 335. Abstracts of the earliest wills.)

Conihassett Grant, 1646-1647. (Conihassett means a fishing promontory.)

History of Scituate, by Samuel Dean, pp. 4-6:

"Within the territory, as above bounded, was included a large tract of land, which the Colony Court had granted to four gentlemen, usually called 'Merchant Adventurers of London'"

"We will now remark, that the 'Conihassett Grant' was purchased by Mr. Hatherly of the other Merchant Adventurers before 1646, and that in this year he divided it into thirty shares (reserving one fourth part of the whole) and sold it for £180 to a certain company, since called the 'Conihassett partners.' . . . . Among these partners is the name of Richard Sealis. . . . . These partners appointed their clerks, surveyors, committees and agents, and conducted their affairs with all the efficiency of a corporate town. They laid out and maintained their own roads until 1715; they made grants to their minister, etc. Their first clerk was Richard Garrett, he being a skillful penman, though not a partner; their second, James Torrey; their third, Stephen Vinall; and their fourth and last, Samuel Jenkins. Their records were kept of all transactions, conveyances, etc., in beautiful order, and fill a large volume. Their last meeting on record was 1767.

JOHN WINCHESTER, JR.

John Winchester, Jr.[2] (*John*[1]), son of John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, was born in Hingham, Mass., 1642-3. Dec. 1691, John Winchester made an affidavit in which he said he was 48 years old. (Suffolk County Deeds, Boston.)

Baptized in Hingham, June 2, 1644. (Hist. of Hingham, Mass., Vol. 3, p. 330.) He died in Brookline, Mass., 1717-18. His will in the Suffolk County Probate Records, Boston, Mass., was dated Jan. 29, 1717-18, and was probated Feb. 24, same year. In it he speaks of his wife, Joanna. Inventory of John Winchester, Jr., £1,006, 9 s. (Also Sewall's Diary, Vol. II, p. 299.)

A prominent man in early Brookline town history. Samuel Sewall drew up and John Winchester signed two petitions, which were presented to the Governor, Council and Assembly, one in 1700, the other in 1705, by the inhabitants of Muddy River, requesting to be set off as a town by themselves and to be allowed to manage their own local affairs. The second of these petitions was granted, and Muddy River took the name of Brookline, November 1705.

John Winchester married, about 1672-3, Joanna Stevens, daughter of Henry Stevens and his second wife, Mary Buckmaster (or Buckminster). Joanna was born May 28, 1652.

Their first child, Joanna, was baptized Sept. 6, 1674.

In regard to the marriage of John Winchester, Jr., Jackson's History of Newton mentions two wives, Joanna and Hannah, but Henry W. Cunningham of Boston, after careful research, is convinced that he only had one, Joanna Stevens, and that the Hannah mentioned by Jackson was undoubtedly his father's wife, who survived the latter about three years.

Roxbury Church and Land Records, 1881, p. 90:

Church members. 6m 1674. John Winchester, jun., and Joanna, his wife, John Druse and Mary his wife, solemnly owned ye Covenant.

John Winchester, Jr., filled these offices: Selectman; Surveyor, in 1676-7, 1677-8, 1678-9, 1693-4, 1702; Constable, in

1682-3; Tythingman, in 1695-6. (Extracts from Boston Records on the name of Winchester.) Commissioner, 1707; First Representative from Brookline in the General Assembly of Massachusetts from 1706 to 1710, inclusive.

Colonial Archives, Court Orders, Vol. 8, p. 188: John Winchester, Representative from Brookline, May 29, 1706; p. 293, May 28, 1707; p. 350, May 26, 1708; p. 426, May 25, 1709.

Extracts from Boston Records:

22 April, 1709. He was chosen a Representative to the General Court; and 16 May, 1710, he was chosen again, and at the same time there was granted "nine pounds to John Winchester for being Representative in 1709."

Muddy River and Brookline Records, 1634-1738:

1707. *Voted*, that John Winchester, Sr. [his father, John Winchester, was dead, and he had a son John] should serve as Commissioner, and that Samuel Aspenwal, Joseph Gardner, and Erosamund Drew should serve as Trustees to joyne with said Commissioner in making a valuation of the estate of the aforesaid Town.

A list of inhabitants of the Town of Boston in 1696 contains John Winchester and Josiah Winchester, and no others of the name. (Muddy River and Brookline Records.)

John Winchester[2] (not Capt. John) was the first Representative from Brookline. He owned land from the Cambridge road, now Harvard Street, to the top of Corey Hill, and his son, Capt. John, and his grandson Isaac held it till it passed to the Griggs family. (Winchester, a Favored Town, by C. R. Bolton, p. 30.)

BUCKMASTER LINEAGE.

(Also written Buckminster.)

John Winchester, Jr., married Joanna Stevens, born May 28, 1652, daughter of Henry Stevens of Boston and his second wife, Mary Buckminster. Henry Stevens, aged twenty-two, came from London in 1635, with wife, Alice ——. By his second wife, Mary Buckminster, he had Joanna, born May 28, 1652; Henry born July 20, 1656, who died young, and

others. (Savage, Vol. IV, p. 185. Suffolk Co. Deeds, Book I, p. 9.)

From Memoirs of Rev. Joseph Buckminster, D.D., and of his son, Rev. Joseph Stevens Buckminster, by Eliza Buckminster Lee, 1851:

"The oldest ancestor of whom we have any knowledge is Thomas Buckminster, the author of an Almanac for the year 1599, printed in London. A copy of this Almanac has been preserved in the family to the present time."

At page 3d: Thomas, the son or grandson of the Almanac maker, came to Boston in 1640. He was made a "freeman" in 1646, and received a grant of land at £10, from the General Court. He was the owner of a farm at Muddy River, now Brookline, where he died Sept. 20, 1656. His will, dated only a few days before his death, is recorded in the Suffolk Probate office. If we may infer anything from the selection of Thomas Buckminster's farm in Brookline, he must have had an eye for picturesque beauty. According to Genealogical Register, Vol. 6, p. 353, Thomas was made freeman 1646; died at Muddy River (now Brookline) Sept. 20 (Boston Records say 28), 1656. His widow married Edward Garfield of Watertown, Sept. 1, 1661. (Barry's Framingham, pp. 199-203.)

Thomas Buckmaster, progenitor of the late Joseph Stevens Buckminster of Boston. Barry, in his History of Framinghams, says, "the name of Buckminster first appears in a deed to Joseph, son of Thomas, dated July 23, 1660 (Suffolk Deeds), and that 'Buckmaster' is the name given upon the records to all of the first and second generations."

MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) Mary Winchester, daughter of John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, was baptized in Hingham, Mass., March 26, 1648.

She married (1st) John Druce or Druse, son of Vincent Druce, baptized in Hingham, Mass., April, 1641. In Roxbury

Land and Church Records, page 91, the following: "1674, 30, 6^{m}: John Winchester Sen. and Hanna, his wife, joyned to o^{r} church. John Winchester jun. and Joanna his wife, John Druse and Mary, his wife, solemnly owned ye Covenant."

John Druce or Druse was mortally wounded, July 1, 1675, while with Captain Prentice's troop, on the morning march from Rehoboth to Swanzey. 1675—Month 5—24 day: "John Druse dyed in the warrs and was there buryed, he acquited himselfe valiantly." (From Apostle Eliot in Roxbury Church Records, p. 182.)

He was brought home to his house at Muddy River, near the line of Cambridge Village, and died the next day (July 2), aged 34. Previous to his death, Joseph Dudley, Esq., was called in, before whom he dictated his will, stating that he was in partnership with his father Druce. He bequeathed one-half his estate to his son, and the other half to be equally divided between his two daughters; his wife to have the improvement of the whole during her life, Capt. Prentice and Mr. Dudley being appointed executors. . . . To his widow, Mary, administration was granted Nov. 15, 1675. Suffolk Co. Probate, Vol. 6, p. 178.)

John and Mary (Winchester) Druce had three children.

From Roxbury Land and Church Records, 1881, p. 132:

"Baptisms.—1674 moneth 7—day 13, John, sonne, Mary, daughter, to John Druse; day 27, Hanna, daughter of John Druse."

Mary, the widow of John Druse, married her brother-in-law, Erasomund Drew, Feb. 18, 1677. (Town Records, p. 117.)

In 1679, month 11, Mary Drew is dismissed from the church in Roxbury to the church in Cambridge Village (now Newton), where her second husband lived. (Roxbury Land and Church Records, p. 94.)

In his will, dated June 17, 1691, John Winchester, Sr., mentions his daughter Mary Drew. (Probate Court Records, Boston, Mass.)

From Extracts of Deeds in Court House, Boston, Vol. 25, p. 169:

"We, John, Mary and Hannah Druce, children and heirs of John Druce of Muddy River, in consideration of the interest our father-in-law [i. e., stepfather] Erosiman Drew, and our mother, his wife, Mary Drew of Muddy River, which they have in the estate of our grandfather, Vincent Druce, late of Muddy River, and in consideration of their right in the estate of our father John Druce, either as Dower or third, quitclaim right in 30 acres in Muddy River. Our mother Mary Drew, as adm. estate our father John Druce, June 2, 1693."

Deed 51-130. Erosaman and Mary Drew to son-in-law, Samuel White, land in Brookline, by that of John Druce; 14 Feby., 1717-18. Erosaman Drew acknowledged this deed, Sept. 11, 1735.

Mary, wife of Erosaman or Rosamund Drew, probably died in 1719, in her 70th year.

Deed 51-135. He signs without Mary, 1730-1.

Deed 51-136. Erosaman Drew makes over to son-in-law, Samuel White, and Ann, his wife, and their two children, Susannah and Ann, 40 acres in Brookline, mansion, barn, buildings, etc., Aug. 20, 1731.

CHILDREN OF MARY WINCHESTER AND EROSAMUND (OR ROSAMUND) DREW.

1. EROSAMAN DREW, born in 1678; died in 1700.
2. JONATHAN DREW, born in 1681; died in 1700.
3. ABIGAIL DREW, born in 1689; died in 1717.
4. EBENEZER DREW, born in 1690; died in 1715.

(Jackson's Newton.)

Erosaman Drew and his wife, Mary Winchester, lived in Cambridge Village (now Newton), Mass., and they were buried there.

JONATHAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) JONATHAN WINCHESTER[2] (*John*[1]), son of John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, married MARY ——.

From Roxbury Land and Church Records, p. 93:

"1677, Month 3, day 6. Jonathan Winchester, Mary his wife, both received to lay hold on the Covenant."

From Roxbury Land and Church Records, p. 183:

"1679, Month 1, day 8, Jonathan Winchester dyed of a fever."

Inventory April 9, 1679, 8 acres of land in Boston, bounds East by John Winchester, jun., South by Boston Common, West and North by John Winchester, Sen. (Town Records.)

They had one daughter, Mary, who is mentioned by her grandfather, John Winchester, Sr., in his will of 1691, and as then not being of age.

From New England Genealogical Register, Vol. IV, p. 85, Register of Marriages in the Town of Wrentham, Mass.; also, from last issues of Wrentham Marriages, p. 400:

"1682, May 23. John Aldis, Mary Winchester."

It seems probable that the above Mary Winchester was the widow of Jonathan Winchester.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARY (WINCHESTER) ALDIS.

1. Sarah Aldis, born Feb. 26, 1683.
2. Ethan Aldis, born May 11, 1685, in Wrentham, Mass.
3. Hannah Aldis, born in Wrentham, Mass., Feb. 19, 1686-87; baptized at Roxbury, Aug. 30, 1687.
4. Rachel Aldis, born March 15, 1690, daughter of John and Mary Aldis. (Dedham Records.) Married in 1716, James Draper. (See Drapers in America.)
5. Ruth Aldis, born Aug. 14, 1695, at Dedham, Mass.

The Aldis family of Dedham, Roxbury, Wrentham, and Franklin, Mass. From Boston *Evening Transcript,* Feb. 19, 1902:

"Aldis, At Roxbury, 1708, Nathan Aldis married Eunice Draper. She died 1714, and he married second, Mary Chickering, 1715. Can it be proved that he was the son of John[1] and Mary (Winchester) Aldis, who was born at Wrentham, May 11, 1685, and there recorded as 'Ethan.' There is the negative proof that 'Ethan' no longer appears, and indirect proof, through names both ancestral and within the next generation, which has strength. Also their marriages with the James Draper family.

Hannah Aldis, though born in Wrentham, Feb. 19, 1686-87, was baptized at Roxbury, Aug. 30, 1687, the church where the Winchesters worshipped and where their children were baptized."

JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) Josiah Winchester[2] (*John*[1]), son of John and Hannah (Scalis) Winchester, was born March 27, baptized May 20, 1655. He married Mary Lyon, daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon, Dec. 10, 1678.

CHILDREN OF JOSIAH AND MARY (LYON) WINCHESTER.

1. Hannah Winchester, baptized Month 1, Day 28, 1680.
2. Josiah Winchester, baptized Month 11, Day 1, 1681.
3. Ebenezer Winchester, baptized Month 1, Day 9, 1684.
4. Mary Winchester, baptized Month 7, Day 20, 1685.
5. Amariah Winchester, baptized Month 2, Day 8, 1688.
6. Elhanan Winchester, baptized Month 1, Day 14, 1691-2.

(Baptisms from Roxbury Church Records, Vol. 1881.)

For Josiah Winchester and his descendants, see Part III.

PART FIRST

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(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF JOHN AND JOANNA (STEVENS) WINCHESTER.

(All mentioned in will of John Winchester, Jr., excepting Jonathan, who must have died before his father.)

1. JOANNA WINCHESTER, baptized Sept. 6, 1674, married June 5, 1698, Joseph Stevens. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 132.)
2. MARY WINCHESTER, baptized Oct. 13, 1676; died Feb. 19, 1715. (Newton Vital Records.) Married Thomas Trowbridge. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 134.)
3. JOHN WINCHESTER, born April 17, 1676. (Boston Records.) Married (1) about 1700, Sarah White; (2) in 1716, Sarah Gardner, the widow of Caleb Gardner and daughter of Solomon Phipps, Jr.; (3) about 1750, Alice Craft, then widow of James Shedd. John Winchester died in 1751.
4. HENRY WINCHESTER, married June 28, 1705, Frances White. He died previous to 1750.
5. EBENEZER WINCHESTER, married Feb. 13, 1717-18, Martha Buckminster, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Sharpe) Buckminster. Ebenezer died about 1744, and his widow married (2) Rev. James Brigham of Brimfield. (Framingham Vital Statistics; also, from Capt. John Wood and his Descendants, p. 219.)
6. BENJAMIN WINCHESTER, died between 1758 and July 1, 1762, when his will was allowed; married (1) Dec. 31, 1719, Prudence May, born Nov. 29, 1694, daughter of John and Prudence (Bridge) May of Roxbury, Mass. (Roxbury Records.) He married (2) June 22, 1726, Elizabeth Chamberlain, daughter of Joseph Champney of Cambridge, Mass. (Town Records of Brookline.)
7. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, baptized Dec. 30, 1683. (Roxbury Church Records.) Died Aug. 31, 1714. (Newton Vital Records; also, Diary of Samuel Sewall, Jr.)
8. MEHETABEL WINCHESTER, married March 4, 1713, Joseph Payson or Persson, born Feb. 24, 1686-7.
9. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, baptized Feb. 28, 1686 (old style, 1685, born m. 12, day 28.) (Roxbury Church Records.) Married Jan. 3, 1722, Hannah Gulliver. He died Sept. 6, 1751. (Town Records.)

(*Gen. III*) JOANNA WINCHESTER, daughter of John and Joanna (Stevens) Winchester. Baptized Sept. 6, 1674. (Rox-

bury Church Records.) Married, June 5, 1698, Joseph Stevens, son of Timothy Stevens of Roxbury, Mass.

Joseph Stevens, born April 7; baptized April 13, 1673. (Roxbury Town and Church Records.)

STEVENS LINEAGE.

John Stevens came, perhaps, in the ship *Confidence*, was from Caversham, County Oxford; settled in Newbury, Mass., in 1638. From there removed to Andover. He was Sergeant of the Andover Militia until 1658. He died in Andover, April 11, 1662, aged 56, therefore born about 1606. His estate was valued at £463, 4 s. His widow, Elizabeth Stevens, died May 1, 1694. (Soffin's Newbury, p. 186; C. H. Abbott's notes in Andover *Townsman*.) His son,

Capt. Timothy Stevens, born Sept. 23, 1641, in Newbury, Mass., settled in Roxbury and owned the covenant there 12 mo. 1666. Was Ensign, and chosen Captain in 1693, of the Roxbury Militia.

"The men of Roxbury under Capt. Samuel Ruggles, Sr., Lieut. Samuel Gore and Ensign Timothy Stevens, assisted their brethren of Boston in overthrowing their oppressors, April 18, 1689, taking an active part in the capture of Fort Hill and the Castle."

Capt. Timothy Stevens was a leading man in town affairs and held at different times nearly every town office; was Selectman for nearly twenty years, Representative for Roxbury at the General Court two or three terms, from 1698 to 1700, and he was feoffee of the free school in Roxbury.

Timothy Stevens married, March 12, 1664, Sarah, daughter of Tobias and Sarah (Morrill) Davis of Roxbury. She was born Feb. 10, 1647, and died April 5, 1695. Timothy Stevens died Jan. 31, 1707-8. His son,

Joseph Stevens, married June 5, 1698, Joanna Winchester. ("Lineage of the Bowens," by Edward Augustus Bowen, 1897.)

From Joanna Winchester descends:

George Norbury Mackenzie of Baltimore, Md., attorney and counsellor at law; Secretary of Maryland Chapter of the Society of Colonial Wars, and Deputy Chairman of standing committees in 1894; tenth in descent from Robert Parke; ninth in descent from Edward Howell; ninth in descent from John Winchester, 1642-3—1718, who was the first Representative of Brookline, in the Colonial Assembly of Massachusetts.

MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Mary Winchester, daughter of John and Joanna (Stevens) Winchester, baptized Oct. 13, 1676. (Roxbury Church Records.) Married Thomas Trowbridge of Muddy River (now Brookline) about 1700. She died Feb. 19, 1715. (Newton Vital Records.) Their son,

(*Gen. IV*) John Trowbridge, married Mehetabel Eaton and settled in Framingham.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

1. Mehetabel Trowbridge, born Jan. 26, 1726.
2. Mary Trowbridge, born July 27, 1728.
3. John Trowbridge, born May 22, 1730; married Margaret Farrar.
4. Lydia Trowbridge, born Dec. 24, 1731.
5. Thomas Trowbridge, born April 1, 1734.
6. Ruth Trowbridge, born March 3, 1736. (Jackson's Newton.)

CAPTAIN JOHN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Capt. John Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]) was born in Muddy River (now Brookline), Mass., April 17, 1676. (Boston Records.) He was Captain of a company of militia. In Vol. 72, p. 117, of Archives in State House, Boston, Mass., is a copy of unsigned instructions delivered to Capt. John Winchester, dated Sept. 13, 1723. It is as follows:

"An express from Albany giving an account of a fresh party of fifty Indians, that are come over the Lake, which may be expected every Houre on the Frontier, under your care. You are therefore to bee in a readiness to give them a warme reception with your Troop to p'sue them soe as if Possible you may be able to give a good account of them from hence. . . . Taking care to finde their Tracks & haveing soe done not

to leave your p'suit fer 8 or 10 Days unless you shall come up with them sooner & you are to furnish yourselves with Provisions accordingly."

He held also the following town offices: Fence Viewer, Surveyor, Constable, Assessor, Grand Juryman, and Selectman.

Capt. John Winchester is mentioned as being stationed at Fort No. 4 on the Connecticut River, under Governor Shirley's administration. Capt. John Winchester was a farmer and owned much land in Brookline. He was a brave, strong man, well fitted to cope with the difficulties and trials of pioneer life. He was most useful in his generation and left a large number of descendants to carry on the work he had begun.

Capt. John Winchester married (1st) Sarah White, daughter of Lieut. John and Elizabeth (Bowles) White. She was born in Brookline, Dec. 5, 1680, and died Jan. 31, 1715-16, aged 36 years.

WHITE LINEAGE.

John White, born 1642, father of Sarah White, was a Lieutenant in the militia. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Elder John and Elizabeth (Heath) Bowles of Roxbury, Mass. Lieutenant John White died March 23, 1695. Lieutenant John White was the son of John White of Watertown, who was there as early as 1639. In 1650 he removed to Muddy River (now Brookline), where he bought large tracts of land and became a large proprietor. His will, dated April 13, 1691, names wife Frances and three sons. He died April 15, 1691. His wife, Frances, died in 1696.

Sarah (White) Winchester was a sister of John White, Treasurer of Harvard College from 1715 until his death in 1721; Clerk of the House of Deputies for twenty years. (See Sibley's Harvard Graduates, and Diary of S. Sewall.) From his estate Sarah Winchester's children received £440. 2. 6., which was paid to their father, Capt. John Winchester, as guardian.

Capt. John Winchester married (2d), in 1716, Sarah, Phipps, daughter of Solomon, Jr., and Mary (Danforth)

Phipps, the widow of Caleb Gardner, Jr., of Brookline. According to town books of Cambridge, Mass. (Vol. 2, p. 171), Caleb Gardner of Brookline married, April 10, 1707, Sarah Phipps of Cambridge. He died in 1716.

Winchester—Suffolk Co. Deeds, Vol. 32, p. 179:

"John Winchester, with consent of my wife, formerly the wife of Caleb Gardner, as empowered by the Superior Court, held at Boston, Nov. 5, 1717, to sell land, formerly known as Leverett's Farm, lying in Brookline, formerly owned by Caleb Gardner. With consent of my wife Sarah. March 13, 1717."

Sarah Phipps, the widow of Caleb Gardner and the second wife of Capt. John Winchester, was born March 13, 1687-8, and died Jan. 12, 1750. Her mother, Mary Danforth, born 28, 5, 1650, was the daughter of Thomas and Mary (Withington) Danforth, Thomas Danforth being one of the most distinguished men of his day. Mary Danforth married twice: (1st) Solomon Phipps of Charlestown, in July, 1669; (2d) Maj. Thomas Brown of Sudbury, March 1, 1703-4, and she was living as his widow in 1725.

Capt. John Winchester married (3d) Alice Craft, then the widow of James Shedd, her fourth husband. This marriage took place in 1750, as Capt. John Winchester died Sept. 21, 1751.

Alice Craft, daughter of Samuel, and granddaughter of Lieut. Griffin Craft, baptized in Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 19, 1681. (The records of the First Church of Roxbury record it as 12th mo., 19th day, 1681-2.) They show, also that she "Onew the Covenant" 1 March, 1702. She was married in Roxbury, to Robert Loverain (or Lovering) Jan. 3, 1704-5. They had five children. She married (2d) in Roxbury, July 4, 1723, Ephraim Lyon. She married (3d) July 24, 1729, John Greenwood of Newton, Mass. He died Aug. 29, 1737. She married (4th) in Newton, Mass., Sept. 28, 1743, James Shedd of Roxbury. He died in Roxbury, Dec. 29, 1749. His widow, Alice, married (5th), probably in 1750, John Winchester of Brookline, Mass., and he died July, 1751. (The Crafts Family, by James M. and William F. Crafts, 1893, pp. 58-60.)

Capt. John Winchester died intestate, and administration was granted to his son, Isaac Winchester, of Brookline, Oct. 15, 1751. The inventory of his estate, taken Dec. 17, 1751, amounted to £1383 1/3, including 160 acres of land, valued at £1015 13/4, house, barn and other buildings, £133 6/8; the usual appurtenances of a farm, with silver, pewter, and brass ware, and also two negroes valued at £60.

A commission was appointed to make division of the estate, and set off to the widow, Alice, her thirds as dower. The remainder was apportioned among the six children of the deceased, the children of the eldest son John, deceased, having a double share. The other five children were Nathan and Isaac Winchester, and three daughters, Elizabeth Gardner, Johanna Sparhawk, and Sarah Dana. The land lay in Brookline, bounding east by the road leading from Boston to Cambridge, and north by the Cambridge line.

Alice Winchester survived her fifth husband thirty-two years, and died in Holliston, Mass., in 1783, in her 102d year, at the house of her grandson, Joseph Lovering.

From the *Independent Chronicle,* Boston, Mass., March 25, 1784:

"Died at Holliston, the 14th inst. the widow Alice Winchester, in the one hundred and fifth year of her age, has had five husbands and left posterity in the fifth generation. She was a person of exemplary piety."

This remarkable woman must have possessed great personal charms, when we reflect upon her five marriages; her husbands also seem to have been men possessed of large property. This was certainly the case with her third, fourth, and fifth husbands, therefore her dower rights must have been large. She left a will, leaving mementos to all her descendants then living, a rather remarkable and interesting document.

Winchester—Suffolk Probate, Vol. 47, p. 87:

John Winchester of Brookline, estate adm. by son Isaac, March 6, 1752.

Vol. 47, p. 357:

John Winchester's estate divided between his widow and six children: widow Alice, youngest son, Nathan, eldest son, Isaac, now surviving, John, elder brother of Isaac, deceased, Elizabeth Gardner (Richard), Joanna

Sparhawk (Samuel), Sarah Dana (Isaac), William and John, minors, under guardianship of Richard Green.

The children of John and Elizabeth (Green) Winchester were two, according to John's will: Elizabeth appointed guardian of children—William, in his eighth year, and Elizabeth, in her sixth year.

Inventory of John White, late deceased, Boston, taken Dec. 14, 1721. He was the brother of Capt. John Winchester's first wife, Sarah White. Amount, £1465. 17 s. 3 d. He also had money in hands of John Lloyd & Co. in London. (Suffolk Co. Probate, Vol. 22, p. 435.)

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER BY HIS FIRST WIFE, SARAH WHITE.

1. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born Dec. 30, 1701-2; married Richard Gardner.
2. SARAH WINCHESTER, born in 1703; married Isaac Dana of Pomfret, Conn., April, 1723.
3. JOHN WINCHESTER, born in 1705; married Elizabeth Green of Reading in 1729.
4. JOANNA WINCHESTER, born March 13, 1709-10; married Samuel Sparhawk. (Town Records of Brookline and Suffolk Probate Records.) Samuel Sparhawk born Oct., 1698. (History of Brighton.)
5. ISAAC WINCHESTER, born 1712-14; married Mary Shed. (Crafts Genealogy.)

BY HIS SECOND WIFE, SARAH PHIPPS, WIDOW OF CALEB GARDNER.

6. DANFORTH WINCHESTER, born March 8, 1718; baptized 1719; died 1719.
7. BETHIA (or BERTHA) WINCHESTER, born Dec. 20, 1720; baptized Jan. 1, 1721; died Sept. 12, 1722.
8. SAMUEL WINCHESTER, baptized Dec. 10, 1722. (According to Mr. Presson, in "Winchester.") He died July 13, 1751. Not mentioned in his father's will of Sept., 1751. (First Parish Records.)
9. NATHAN WINCHESTER, born April 16, 1724; married at Concord, Mass., by R. D. Bliss, Oct. 17, 1746, to Beulah Parks. (Concord, Mass., Records. Brookline Town and Parish Records. B. F. Baker, Town Clerk.)
10. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born Nov. 23, 1728. (Town Records.)
11. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, baptized Sept. 1, 1734. (First Parish Church Records, p. 73. Brookline Publication Society.)

He had no children by his third wife, Alice Craft, the widow of James Shedd.

In regard to Capt. John Winchester's Children.

Suffolk Probate, Vol. 22, p. 435:

John White of Boston, estate ad. by brothers Isaac and Joseph, March 12, 1721.

Elizabeth Winchester, aged about Nineteen Years appt her father John Winchester of Brookline to receive her portion of her uncle John White's estate, March 14, 1721.

Page 438, March 14, 1721:

Sarah Winchester, aged about seventeen, appt her father John, to receive her portion of her uncle John White's estate.

Page 439, March 14, 1721:

John Winchester, aged about sixteen; on right of uncle John White's estate.

Page 440, March 14, 1721:

John Winchester appointed guardian of his daughter Joanna aetat. ca thirteen, on estate of uncle John White.

March 14, 1721:

Isaac Winchester, aged about nine, on estate of uncle John White.

Page 437, (verbatim copy) March 14, 1721:

"Know all men by these presents that I, Elizabeth Winchester, a minor, aged about Nineteen years, have named ordained & made and by these presents Do put & Constitute my Honored John Winchester (sic., father) of Brookline in the County of Suffolk, Husbandman to be my Guardian . . . to receive for me in right of my uncle John White late of Boston," etc.

BOWLES LINEAGE.

Elder John Bowles came from England to Roxbury, where he was made freeman May 13, 1640. His first wife, Dorothy, died childless, Nov. 3, 1649. He married (2d) April 2, 1650, Elizabeth, only child of Elder Isaac Heath. She was born about 1630; died July 6, 1655, aged 25 years. He married (3d) Sarah, widow of Francis Chickering. She died Sept. 2, 1686. Elder John Bowles was a leading man in town affairs.

In 1645 he was Representative at the General Court. In the remonstrance of Roxbury to the General Court, October 28, 1664, against the surrender of the Royal Charter, John Bowles signed second to Rev. John Eliot. His eldest child, Elizabeth Bowles, baptized Feb. 3, 1650-1, married Lieut. John White. Their daughter, Sarah White, married Capt. John Winchester. (From the Bowens of Woodstock, by Edward Augustus Bowen, and from Bowles, Heath, Eliot Families, p. 93.)

HEATH LINEAGE.

Isaac Heath, with wife Elizabeth and daughter Elizabeth, came to Roxbury, Mass., from Naring, County Norfolk, England, in the ship *Hopewell,* in 1635. He was Ruling Elder in Rev. John Eliot's church; was born in 1585, and died in Roxbury, Jan. 21, 1660. His wife, born in 1595, died 11, 14, 1664. Their daughter, Elizabeth Heath, born 1630, married John Bowles. She was his second wife.

DANFORTH LINEAGE.

Sarah Phipps, daughter of Solomon, Jr., and Mary (Danforth) Phipps, married (2d) in 1716 Capt. John Winchester of Brookline, Mass. Her mother, Mary Danforth, born 28, 5, 1650, was the daughter of Thomas and Mary (Withington) Danforth. She married (1st) Solomon Phipps, Jr., of Charlestown in July, 1669. She married (2d) Thomas Brown of Sudbury, March 1, 1703-4, and was living as his widow in 1725.

Hon. Thomas Danforth, eldest son of Nicholas Danforth, was born in England in 1622; came with his father to New England in 1634. Freeman, May 10, 1643. His first entrance upon public life was in 1657. He represented Cambridge in the General Court in 1657 and 1658. In 1657 he was chosen one of the Assistants and was Deputy Governor in 1679, 1680, 1681, 1682, 1683, 1684, 1685, 1686. After Andros was banished, Thomas Danforth was again Deputy Governor from 1689

to 1692. He was President of the Board of Commissioners for the United Colonies and was chosen Commissioner May 27, 1674, again in 1675, and each year until May 24, 1682. He was Treasurer of Harvard College 1650-69, and Steward from 1669 to 1682. He was chosen President of the Province of Maine, a very difficult position to hold at that period, May 11, 1681, and continued in that position until the dissolution of the Colonial Government in May, 1686. He was associated with Bradstreet as Deputy Governor. He was one of the judges of the Superior Court in the witchcraft trials in 1692 and took chief hand in putting an end thereto. (Massachusetts Bay Records, Vol. V, pp. 1, 210, 265, 308, 309, 350, 407, 436, 475, 513.)

He died in Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 5, 1699. President Danforth married Feb. 12, 1644 (according to Danforth Genealogy, 23, 12, 1643), Mary, daughter of Henry Withington of Dorchester, Mass. His wife died in Cambridge, March 26, 1697. They had twelve children, among them Mary, who married Solomon Phipps, Jr., of Charlestown, Mass. (N. E. Genealogical Register, Vol. VII, pp. 315, 316.)

From Danforth Genealogy, by S. J. May:

1. William Danforth married Isabell.
2. Paul Danforth married Katheryn.
3. Nicholas Danforth married Alice.
4. Thomas Danforth married Jane Sudbury.
5. Nicholas Danforth, baptized in Framingham, March 1, 1589, married Elizabeth, who was buried Feb. 22, 1628; he came to Cambridge, Mass., 1634; died April, 1638.
6. Thomas Danforth, baptized Nov. 20, 1623, married 23, 12, 1643, Mary, daughter of Henry Withington of Dorchester; he died Nov. 5, 1699; she died March 26, 1697. Their daughter,

Mary Danforth, born 28, 5, 1650, married, as his second wife, Solomon, son of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps. His estate was administered July 10, 1639. She married (2) 1703-4 Thomas Brown.

LINEAGE OF CAPT. SOLOMON PHIPPS, JR.

He was the son of Solomon and Elizabeth Phipps of Charlestown, Mass., and was born in Charlestown in 1645. He married (1st) Nov. 13, 1667, Hannah Pickard. She died Feb. 1, 1668-9. He married (2d) in July, 1669, "before Capt. Gookins," Mary, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Withington) Danforth of Cambridge. She was born July 28, 1650.

"April 3, 1670, Sol. Phips, Junior and Mary Phips, his wife (ye worship'f: Tho. Danforths daughter) ad. to full comunion in this ch. . . ." In 1681 he was chosen Captain of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston. Solomon Phips, Jr., died suddenly previous to July 10, 1693, when his widow was appointed administratrix of his estate. Among his children: Sarah, who married (2d) Capt. John Winchester in 1716. She was then the widow of Caleb Gardner. (Suffolk Co. Deeds, Vol. 32, p. 179.) (From "The Bowens of Woodstock," p. 223.)

HENRY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Henry Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]), born in Brookline, Mass. (?) He died previous to June 26, 1750, when mention of his estate is found in the Probate Records. He married, June 28, 1705, Frances White, born March 28, 1680, daughter of Joseph and Hannah White. She died suddenly Nov. 21, 1765. (White Genealogy in N. E. Genealogical Register, 1898, p. 422; also, First Parish Records, p. 119.)

They resided in Brookline, Mass., and owned the land now known as Weld's Hill, Goddard Avenue and Cottage Street. Their children were born in Brookline.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF HENRY AND FRANCES (WHITE) WINCHESTER.

1. Mary Winchester, born Aug. 19, 1707; died Oct. 7, 1736; married John Harris, Jan., 1733.
2. Joseph Winchester, born in Brookline, April 12, 1709-10; died Feb. 28, 1781, in Brookline; married (1) in Roxbury, Nov. 27,

1740, Margaret Brewer; (2) in Braintree, Mass., March 8, 1753, Mary Rawson; (3) in Roxbury, March 1, 1758, Priscilla Gore.

3. Abigail Winchester, born Dec. 17, 1712; married Peter Stone, Dec. 5, 1749. (Roxbury Records, p. 151.)
4. Mehetabel Winchester, born March 25, 1715.
5. Jonathan Winchester, born April 21, 1717; died Nov. 26, 1767; married Sarah Crofts.
6. Henry Winchester, born April 27, 1720; married at Roxbury, Mass., March 3, 1748, to Dorothy Brewer, by Rev. Mr. Walter.
7. Moses Winchester, born July 5, 1723-4; died Aug. 21, 1725.

(From Vital Statistics and First Church Records in Brookline Town Hall in 1908.)

EBENEZER WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Ebenezer Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]) lived near the Brinley Farm, Framingham, Mass. He was Constable 1726; also a Captain. He married, Feb. 13, 1717-18, Martha Buckminster, the daughter of Col. Joseph and Martha (Sharp) Buckminster. She was born in 1693.

Ebenezer, son of (Capt.) Ebenezer, administered his father's estate Nov. 17, 1744. His widow, Mrs. Martha Winchester, married (2d) Rev. James Brigham of Brimfield, Nov. 1, 1749. (Barry's History of Framingham, Mass., p. 447; also, Vital Statistics in regard to Ebenezer Winchester and his children.)

Province Laws, Vol. XIV, p. 18 (session held May 27, 1747): A Petition of Ebenezer Winchester, Administrator of Capt. Ebenezer Winchester.

Page 447: Ebenezer, son of (Capt.) Ebenezer, administered his father's estate, Nov. 17, 1744.

Page 18: Capt. Ebenezer died intestate. Was taken sick in the Publick Service and died upon the Frontier, praying that the charge of his sickness may be born by the Province.

Page 19: Received a grant of £20. (Temple's Framingham.)

Page 752: Ebenezer Winchester, captain, married Martha Buckminster.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

1. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born Aug. 11, 1719.
2. MARY WINCHESTER, born Aug. 20, 1723; married (1) Samuel Winch, Nov. 21, 1751; (2) Capt. Jona Gibbs.
3. EBENEZER WINCHESTER, born Aug. 30, 1725; Harvard College, 1744; admitted to the church, Oct. 11, 1747; Selectman, 1741, two years. Ebenezer Winchester of Framingham buys 45 acres in Brookfield, March 10, 1744. (Worcester, Mass., Deeds, Vol. 23, p. 326.) He was a physician, and died unmarried, in the family of Dr. Ezekiel Hersey of Hingham, about 1756. On his estate (£183.7-4) Jona Gibbs of Framingham, Gent. administered.
4. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born Oct. 21, 1727; baptized Oct. 8, 1728.
5. SARAH WINCHESTER, born March 8, 1730.
6. BEULAH WINCHESTER, born Aug. 21, 1733.

(Barry's History of Framingham, Mass., p. 447; also, Capt. John Wood and His Descendants, p. 219, and Framingham Vital Statistics.)

The Joshua, baptized May 14, 1727 (and given in Barry's Framingham as the son of Ebenezer) was the son of Benjamin Winchester, who lived in Framingham but afterwards removed to Grafton, Mass., where he died.

BUCKMINSTER LINEAGE.

Col. Joseph Buckminster; Colonel in commission and command of the Militia in 1744; Pioneer of town of Framingham; admitted to Roxbury Church, 1684; tanner; Selectman 17 years; Representative to the General Court 12 years; Justice of the Peace; Captain of Grenadiers in Charles Hobby's Regiment in the expedition to Port Royal. He died April 5, 1747. Married at Muddy River, Martha Sharp, daughter of John Sharp, May 12, 1686. Their daughter,

MARTHA BUCKMINSTER, born in 1693, married (1) EBENEZER WINCHESTER, Feb. 13, 1717-18; (2) Rev. James Brigham of Brimfield, Mass., Nov. 1, 1749.

BENJAMIN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) BENJAMIN WINCHESTER[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]), born in Brookline, Mass. Married (1) Dec. 31, 1719, PRUDENCE MAY (Roxbury Records). She was the daughter of John and Prudence (Bridge) May and was born in Roxbury, Mass., Nov. 29, 1694.

From Roxbury Records, Vol. 27, p. 498, the following:

John May, Roxbury, will made Nov. 1, 1729: he gives a legacy to the heirs of his daughter Prudence, deceased.

The above shows that Prudence May had married and died previous to the making of the above will.

She had two children by her husband, Benjamin Winchester: (1) Thomas Winchester, baptized Jan. 1, 1721; (2) Benjamin Winchester, baptized March 6, 1726.

The will of Benjamin Winchester proves that the above sons are both children of his first wife.

Benjamin Winchester was married (2d) at Cambridge, Mass., by Rev. James Allen (Town Records) to ELIZABETH CHAMBERLAIN, June 22, 1726. Elizabeth Chamberlain, who married Benjamin Winchester of Brookline, was then the widow of John Chamberlain, late of Newton, and the daughter of Joseph Champney of Cambridge and wife Sarah. She was baptized March 23, 1701-2 (Paige's Cambridge, p. 507) and married John Chamberlain about 1720. He was born at Newton, Sept. 26, 1698, and was the son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hammond) Chamberlain of Newton. John Chamberlain died in 1722. They had two children: John, Jr., born March 28, 1721, and Elizabeth, born Oct. 15, 1722. On April 22, 1726, Samuel Mirick of Newton, chairmaker, became guardian of the above children, by the desire of their grandfather, Joseph Champney, who was surety. (Middlesex Probate Records, Vol. 17, p. 441.)

The above facts were given me by Mr. George W. Chamberlain of Weymouth, Mass., Secretary of the Chamberlain Association, in 1902.

Benjamin Winchester must have left Brookline, with second wife, Elizabeth Chamberlain, about 1727, as deeds of that period show that he sold his dwelling and lands in Brookline, Feb. 1726-7, and bought a messuage and lands in Framingham, Mass., May 1, 1727. (History of Framingham, Mass.)

Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 46, p. 260: Benjamin Winchester of Brookline, with wife Elizabeth, sell to his brother, John Winchester, for £500, his dwelling, barn and 15 acres of

land, bounded north by the county road leading from Watertown Mills to Boston; east by land of Edward White; south and west by land of said John Winchester, February 28, 1726-7.

Vol. 48, p. 259: John Winchester, and wife Sarah, give a mortgage deed on their estate lying adjacent to land sold by Benjamin Winchester, June 18, 1734.

In the history of Framingham, Mass., it is stated that "Benjamin Winchester, from Brookline, on May 1, 1727, bought a messuage and 55 acres of land in Framingham, lying west of John Shear's land."

Worcester, Mass., deeds, Vol. 26, p. 575: John Collar of Grafton, sells 46 acres in Grafton to Benjamin Winchester, of Westborough, June 26, 1739.

Benjamin Winchester of Grafton, Mass., previously of Roxbury, executed his will Dec. 25, 1758. Will allowed July 1, 1762, in which he named his wife, Elizabeth, and children, Thomas, Benjamin, Joshua (deceased), Joseph, Sarah, Ann, and Mary. The two sons, Thomas and Benjamin, children of his first wife, had already removed to Hardwick, Mass., previous to their father's decease. (See will.)

As we find Benjamin Winchester first in Brookline, then at Framingham, Mass., and finally executing his estate in Grafton, Mass., it seems probable that the Benjamin Winchester of Westborough, in 1739, was the same man as the one found in Brookline, Framingham and Grafton, Mass., and not his son, Benjamin Winchester, who, with Thomas Winchester, had settled at Hardwick, Mass., previous to his father's death.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, PRUDENCE MAY.

1. Thomas Winchester, baptized Jan. 1, 1721.
2. Benjamin Winchester, baptized March 6, 1727.

(First Parish Records, Brookline Hist. Publication Society.)

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, ELIZABETH CHAMBERLAIN.

3. Joshua Winchester, baptized May 14, 1727; married in 1750 Mary Whipple of Grafton, Mass.; he died previous to Dec. 25, 1758, when his father's will was made and he is not mentioned in it. In Grafton, Joshua Winchester was on the alarm list in 1757. His children are mentioned in his father's will.

4. Joseph Winchester, married, April 15, 1757, Lucy Harrington. (Grafton, Mass., Vital Statistics.)
5. Sarah Winchester.
6. Ann Winchester.
7. Mary Winchester.

The above items and the lineage of Benjamin Winchester (see Part Second) were from Mr. S. S. Dennis of Hardwick, Mass., who looked up the lineage of Col. Locke W. Winchester of New York, and got his facts in Hardwick, Mass. Col. Locke W. Winchester was a lineal descendant of Benjamin Winchester, and his widow sent me the papers referred to above.

MEHETABLE WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Mehetabel Winchester, daughter of John and Joanna (Stevens) Winchester, married, March 4, 1713, Joseph Payson, born Feb. 24, 1686-7, the son of Deacon John Payson and his second wife, Hannah ——. (Payson also spelled Persson.)

PAYSON LINEAGE.

Payson lines by Rev. Abner Morse in MSS.; also, from other sources:

1. Edward Payson was of Naring Bury, of the Manor House and came in 1635 to Roxbury with Giles Payson (presumed to be his brother) and the other Pilgrims of Naring. (See Pilgrims of Naring by Wm. Winters, pp. 27, 60; Payson Genealogy, MSS., pp. 10, 21.) He married (1) in Roxbury, Aug. 20, 1640, Ann Parke, who died Sept. 10, 1641. He married (2) Jan. 1, 1642, Mary Eliot, a sister of Apostle John Eliot, and a daughter of Bennet Eliot of Naring. The Rev. John Eliot was pastor of the First Church of Roxbury, Mass. Edward Payson removed to Dorchester about 1663.

2. John Payson, son of Edward and Mary (Eliot) Payson, was baptized in the First Church of Roxbury, 4, 18, 1643; born June 11, 1643; he married (1) Bathsheba Tileston, who died Feb. 20, 1681; he married (2) Hannah ——, who died, and

he married (3) Mary —— (Eliot's records, p. 94). John Payson, with wife Bathsheba, were dismissed to the church in Dorchester 1 m. 14 day, 1680. Morse adds that John Payson was a deacon in Roxbury Church and died in Roxbury, Nov. 15, 1719.

3. Joseph Payson, son of Deacon John Payson and his second wife, Hannah ——, was born Feb. 24, 1686-7. He married, March 4, 1713, Mehetabel Winchester and settled in Milton, Mass.; removed to Boston, Aug. 14, 1720, where he became a member of the Old South Church. With twenty-five brethren he founded the Hollis Street Church, Jan. 21, 1730-1, and died in 1748. His widow, Mehetabel, presented his will Oct., 1748, and Ebenezer Pierpont of Roxbury was appointed to administer her estate Feb. 26, 1750.

CHILDREN.

1. Joseph Payson, born Feb. 3, 1718-19.
2. Mary Payson, born Jan. 1, 1720-1; died young.
3. —— Payson, another child, born Oct. 21, 1722.
4. John Payson, born May 2, 1725.
5. Priscilla Payson, born April 16, 1727.
6. Sarah Payson, born Nov. 3, 1730.

STEPHEN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Stephen Winchester, Sr.[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]), was born in Brookline, Mass., Feb. 28, 1686 (new style).

Among baptisms: 1685, m. 12, day 28, Steven, son of John Winchester. (Old style.) (Roxbury Church Records.)

He died in Newton, Mass., Sept. 6, 1751. Stephen Winchester was married, Jan. 3, 1722, at Milton, Mass., by the Rev. Peter Thacher, to Hannah Gulliver, daughter of Capt Jonathan Gulliver of Milton, Mass., and his first wife, Mary Robinson. (B. F. Baker, Town Clerk of Brookline, Mass., Dec., 1897.)

Hannah Gulliver was born in Milton, Feb. 10, 1690. Her mother, Mary Robinson, was the daughter of Samuel and Mary (Baker) Robinson of Dorchester, Mass.

From Diary of Rev. Peter Thacher, in N. E. Genealogical Register for 1884:

"Stephen Winchester Senior, of Brookline, was married at Milton, Mass., Jan'y 3d, 1722-3, by Rev. Peter Thacher, to Mistress Hannah Gulliver."

Stephen Winchester purchased land in Newton, Mass., about 1720, being the southwest part of the Haynes farm, and built a house. He probably left Brookline for Newton a short time after his marriage to Hannah Gulliver.

In 1750 he and his wife, Hannah, conveyed to their son, Stephen, fifty-seven acres, with the mansion house and barn; bounded south by William Marean, east by John Hammond, west by widow Lydia Cheney, and north by his own land.

He died Sept. 6, 1751, aged 65.

His widow Hannah, born 1690, died May 4, 1768, leaving a will, giving family Bible to son Stephen. Her inventory, £307, 16 s. (Jackson's Newton.)

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

1. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, born August 11, 1723; married twice.
2. CHARLES WINCHESTER, born August 21, 1726.
3. HANNAH WINCHESTER, born March 30, 1730; died 1743.
4. GULLIVER WINCHESTER, born March 4, 1733; married in Newton, Jan. 8, 1758, Anna Hammond. (West Newton Town Records; also, Middlesex Marriages, Vol. II, p. 45.)

GULLIVER LINEAGE.

STEPHEN WINCHESTER, SR., married HANNAH GULLIVER.

"January 3, 1722-3, Mr. Stephen Winchester of Brookline & Mrs Hannah Gulliver of Milton were married in Milton by Peter Thacher, Pastor." (Diary of Rev. Peter Thacher,—N. E. Genealogical Register, 1884.)

Anthony Gulliver, Dorchester, 1656. Freeman, 1666. Born in 1619, and died in Milton, Mass., Nov. 28, 1706, aged 87 years. Made his will, 1704. "Here Lyes Buried ye Body of Anthony Gulliver aged 87 years, died Novr ye 28, 1706." (Milton's Epitaphs, N. E. Register, 1853, p. 89.) He married (1st) Lydia Kingsley (or Kinsley), daughter of Elder Stephen Kinsley. Married (2d) Elinor ——, who survived him.

He removed from Braintree to Unquity in 1746, and bought land of Edward and Richard Hutchinson, sons and heirs of Richard Hutchinson. At an early date Anthony Gulliver came into possession of a large tract of land in the central part of the town, most of which is now part of the estate of Col. H. S. Russell. This land was long owned and occupied by the Gulliver family. The name of Gulliver appears under various forms of spelling, as: Caliphar, Colliford, Cullifer, Gullwer, Gouliver, Gulliwer, Gullifer, Gulliver. (History of Milton, by A. K. Teele, pp. 105, 106.)

Gulliver, as a surname, was once common through Oxfordshire, Buckinghamshire, and Cambridgeshire. It is now confined to Nottinghamshire. In the 13th century its form was Golafr, Golaffre and Gulafre. (Boston *Transcript,* March, 1898.)

Anthony Gulliver was the progenitor of a long line of solid and trustworthy men and women, who have been conspicuous in the history of the church and town of Milton, holding many of the important offices, and faithfully meeting the trusts imposed on them for nearly two centuries. The family is still represented among our citizens. (History of Milton by Teele.)

In regard to Anthony Gulliver's marriage to Lydia Kingsley (or Kinsley):

In 1654 Stephen Kinsley, who in 1639 was at Mount Wollaston (first a section of Boston, but later of Braintree) with his sons-in-law Anthony Gulliver and Henry Crane, had adjacent farms in that part of Dorchester which, in 1662, was incorporated as Milton. (Henry Crane Lineage.)

Miss E. W. Leavitt, genealogist, searched all original records at the time she was preparing the Henry Crane Genealogy, and all dates prove conclusively that Anthony Gulliver's first wife was Lydia, the daughter of Stephen Kingsley and the mother of his children.

Mr. A. D. Hodges, Jr., of Boston, after careful research, is convinced of the same fact.

Anthony Gulliver was born 1619-20. He married (1st) Lydia, daughter of Stephen Kingsley, about 1640. Stephen

Kingsley of Milton, in his will, dated May 27, 1673 (Suffolk County, Mass., Probate, VII: 312) named his son-in-law, Anthony Gulliver.

Anthony Gulliver had two wives: 1656-7, Feb. 27th, Anthony Gulliver and Lydia his wife deed land. (Suffolk County Deeds, 37: 202.)

1662, March 25th, Anthony Gulliver and Lydia, his wife, signed a deed, which was acknowledged by Anthony (but not by his wife) April 4, 1682. (Suffolk County Deeds, 12: 224.)

These are the only original records in which Mr. A. D. Hodges, Jr., of Boston (a descendant of Anthony Gulliver) found wife Lydia mentioned.

Anthony Gulliver, in his will, dated January, 1703-4, named his wife Elinor, and on the day previous he and wife Elinor deed land to his son Jonathan. There is no other mention of wife Elinor.

From Milton, Mass., Church Records, 1678-1754, in N. E. Register, 1868, p. 262:

Members admitted into full com'union In ye Chh. of Milton: Feb. 5, 1681. Samuel Pitcher, Goodwife Craine Sen.or Goodwife Gulliver Sen.or . . . were admitted with them by virtue of a letter of dismission from Braintry Chh.

This item proves that Lydia (Kinsley) Gulliver, first wife of Anthony Gulliver, was alive in 1681.

1691, June 28, Anthony Couliver.
1691-2, Jan. 10, Elnar, ye wife of Anthony Culliver.

As Lydia, wife of Anthony Gulliver, signed deeds up to 1662, she certainly was the mother of his children. Lydia was the eldest child and she called one son Stephen, whereas Elinor, second wife of Anthony, was admitted to Milton Church 1691-2. As Stephen Kingsley called Anthony Gulliver his son-in-law in 1673, Lydia must have been his daughter, therefore there can be no doubt that Anthony Gulliver married (1st) Lydia Kingsley and (2d) Elinar ——, who survived him and was mentioned in his will.

Anthony Gulliver married (2d), after 1681-2, Elinar ——, probably a widow, with a daughter named Verin. That she was a widow is shown by Anthony's will.

Anthony Gulliver, in his will of Jan. 20, 1704, bequeaths to his wife, Elina, and makes provision for payment for goods she brought with her at her marriage to him, "for which she had my bill." And the saying, "the goods she brought with her," almost always shows a second marriage. That she was a widow is also inferred, since her granddaughter, Elinar Verin, is especially mentioned in a deed, but is not in Anthony's will.

In his will, Anthony bequeaths to the following children: Jonathan, Nathaniel, Hannah Tucker, Lydia Leonard, Elizabeth Gulliver, Mary Atherton. (Probate, Suffolk, Vol. 16, p. 222.)

The Church Records have the following: "1693, Oct. 15, Elinar Verin, grandchild of Mother Culliver, baptized."

Elinar Verin was an adult when Rev. Peter Thacher baptized her Oct. 15, 1693, as he adds, "she owning the covenant"; so either Anthony's second wife had married a Verin, or a daughter of hers had married a Verin. The Verins were a Salem family.

Teele's History of Milton, p. 221: Public Officers—Selectmen of Milton: "Anthony Gulliver 1673 through 1684—eleven years."

The revenues of the town were collected by the constables and disbursed by the selectmen for forty-three years after Milton's corporate existence.

CHILDREN OF ANTHONY GULLIVER BY HIS FIRST WIFE, LYDIA KINGSLEY.

(All born and recorded in Dorchester before that part, now Milton, was set off.)

1. Lydia Gulliver, born 1651; married James Leonard and went to Taunton.
2. Samuel Gulliver, born 1653; died 1676.
3. Jonathan Gulliver, born Oct. 27, 1659; married (1) Mary Robinson of Dorchester, Jan. 17, 1686; (2) Theodora Thacher, March 23, 1703-4.
4. Stephen Gulliver, born 1663.
5. Mary Gulliver, married Joshua Atherton of Lancaster. That she was the daughter of Anthony Gulliver is proved by: "Baptized Mary, daughter of J. Atherton, granddaughter of Anthony

Gulliver, 1698, she owning the covenant." (Henry Crane Genealogy, 1869, p. 14.) Mary Gulliver was probably born about 1665-6.

6. Capt. John Gulliver, born Dec. 3, 1669; was a soldier 1690.
7. Elizabeth Gulliver, born Nov. 6, 1671.
8. Hannah Gulliver, married Ephraim Tucker of Milton, Sept. 27, 1688. Admitted to church in Milton 1687, when she owned the covenant, so was an adult. Probably born about 1673.
9. Nathaniel Gulliver, born Nov. 10, 1675; married July 1, 1698, Hannah Billings. (Teele's History of Milton, p. 105.)

CAPT. JONATHAN GULLIVER.

Capt. Jonathan Gulliver, son of Anthony and Lydia (Kingsley) Gulliver, was born Oct. 27, 1659. A man of distinction, very prominent and one of the leading men of his day in Milton, Mass. He died July 3, 1737. (Teele's History of Milton, Mass.) Lieut. Jonathan Gulliver was married twice: (1st) to Mary Robinson of Dorchester, Mass., January 17, 1686. She was the daughter of Samuel and Mary (Baker) Robinson, and was born Aug. 11, 1668. (Town Records.) She died Feb. 16, 1702-3.

Rev. Peter Thacher's Record of marriages at Milton (N. E. Register, 1882, Vol. 36, p. 19.) Taken from a volume of his diary, found among the papers of the late Rev. Dr. Peter Thacher of Boston, his great-grandson, Feb., 1803. Among these marriages: "17 Jan. 1686. Jonathan Gouliver was married to Mary Robernson of Dorchester."

Their daughter Hannah was born in Milton, Feb. 10, 1690. (Town Clerk of Milton in 1894.) She was married at Milton, Jan. 3, 1722-3, to Stephen Winchester of Brookline, by the Rev. Peter Thacher. (N. E. Gen. Register, 1884, p. 28.)

Lieut. Jonathan Gulliver married (2d) March 23, 1704, Theodora, eldest daughter of Rev. Peter Thacher, Milton's first pastor. Theodora Gulliver died Dec. 7, 1732. (History of Milton, by Teele; also Milton Town Records.)

Capt. Jonathan Gulliver died July 3, 1737, in his 78th year (Town Records of Milton), and left no will, but administration papers were taken out in 1737 by: David Rawson of Wey-

mouth, Sadler, Joseph Dyer, of Brantry, Yeoman upon the estate of Jonathan Gulliver, Gentleman.

In 1744 the administration made division of the property as follows:

	£	S.	D.
To Jonathan Gulliver, eldest son of deceased, . .	565.	..	..
To Capt. James Leonard, in right of his wife, . .	173.	14.	4.
To Stephen Winchester, in right of his wife, . . .	203.	..	3.
To Joseph Dyer, in right of his wife, ...	205.	..	3.
To David Rawson, in right of his wife, ...	205.	19.	10.

CHILDREN OF CAPT. JONATHAN AND MARY (ROBINSON) GULLIVER.

1. HANNAH GULLIVER, born Feb. 10, 1690. (Town Clerk of Milton, Mass., in 1894.) Married Jan. 3, 1722-3, to Stephen Winchester of Brookline, by Rev. Peter Thacher.
2. LYDIA GULLIVER, baptized June 19, 1698.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, THEODORA THACHER.

3. JONATHAN GULLIVER, born Sept. 6, 1707.
4. ELIJAH GULLIVER, born Oct. 29, 1710; died 1711. (p. 226.)
5. JERUSHAH GULLIVER, born Oct. 8, 1718.

(Milton Town Records, p. 30.)

The Anthony Gulliver house passed into the hands of David Rawson, through his marriage to Capt. Jonathan Gulliver's daughter. David Rawson, born in 1683, was the son of William and Anne (Glover) Rawson, and grandson of Secretary Edward Rawson. His son, David, became a very prominent man, was Representative of Milton in 1774, and a member of the Provincial Congress at Salem in 1775.

Public offices held by Capt. Jonathan Gulliver (from Teele's History of Milton, Mass., p. 221):

He was Selectman for twenty years, from 1704 to 1720, continuously; again, 1725, 1728, and 1729. March 19, 1704-5, Jonathan Gulliver was chosen Town Treasurer for the ensuing year. The records contain no further reference to Town Treasurer for the long period of twenty-eight years, until 1739, only two years after Jonathan Gulliver's death. The inference is that he was Town Treasurer until he died in 1737.

Moderators, 1706-1887. The first reference to the presiding officer at Town Meetings appears in the records of the year 1706, when Jonathan Gulliver is recorded as Moderator. No

further mention is made of Moderator until 1714. Recorded list: 1716-17-18, Jonathan Gulliver; 1722, Jonathan Gulliver; 1724, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver; 1725, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver; 1727, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver; 1728-29, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver.

Dorchester Church Records, p. 136: Nov. 13, 1722. The Council of Churches, held at Norton, Mass., the results were signed by Mr. Jonathan Gulliver, Captain at Milton.

Milton Church Records, page 5: Lieutenant Gulliver admitted November 21, 1703.

Province Laws, Vol. XI, p. 4: Captain Jonathan Gulliver: Representative May 25, 1726—April 5, 1727 for Milton.

Page 132: Capt. Jonathan Gulliver again May 31, 1727—Oct. 14, 1727.

From Teele's History of Milton: Representatives to the General Court 1666-1887. 1727 Jonathan Gulliver; 1734-1737 Jonathan Gulliver.

KINGSLEY LINEAGE.

(Also written Kinsley.)

Lydia Kingsley, daughter of Elder Stephen Kingsley (or Kinsley) and his wife Elizabeth, married Anthony Gulliver. They were the parents of Capt. Jonathan Gulliver, whose daughter Hannah married, Jan. 3, 1722, Stephen Winchester, Sr.

Stephen Kinsley received a grant of land at Mount Wollaston in 1639. He was one of six members who formed the church at Braintree. He signed the church covenant at its formation and was appointed Ruling Elder. He represented Braintree at the General Court before moving to Unquity. In 1656 he purchased a large tract of land of Hutchinson, in connection with his son-in-law, Anthony Gulliver. He was one of the three petitioners for the incorporation of Milton in 1662 and drew the petition. The petition for incorporation, drawn up by Stephen Kingsley, is signed by Stephen Kingsley, Robert Vose, John Gill, in the names of all the rest of the inhabitants. (History of Milton, by A. K. Teele, p. 34.)

Name of Milton. Up to the time of incorporation this township was embraced within the limits of Dorchester, and was known by the old Indian name of Unquity-quisset, or by contraction, Unquity.

He was the first Representative of the town to the General Court in 1666, and a trustee of the church in 1664. He is generally spoken of as Elder Kinsley, but is sometimes styled Rev. Stephen Kinsley, although never ordained to the ministry. The record of this excellent man is worthy of particular notice. He was a man of strong religious character and of decided ability. In the trials and conflicts of the early residents, he seems to have been the guide and comforter. Years before the corporate existence of Milton or the establishment of a church, he conducted religious services on the Sabbath with his friends and neighbors in the little meeting-house and continued the duty several years after incorporation.

We have no knowledge of the exact date of his removal to Unquity; it is, however, natural to conclude that he came with his sons-in-law, Anthony Gulliver and Henry Crane. His house was on the hill, a little to the east of the residence of Cornelius Babcock, on the north side of Adams Street. The cellar was filled up by Mr. Babcock, the present owner of the estate (1887). (History of Milton by A. K. Teele, p. 105.)

Elder Stephen Kinsley died in Milton, Mass., June 4, 1673, and his wife Elizabeth died in Milton, Jan. 10, 1668.

In his will, proved 1673, he mentions the children of his deceased sons, Samuel and John, and three daughters. His daughter,

Elizabeth Kinsley, married in Unquity in 1655 Henry Crane. She was his second wife. Henry Crane was born in England, 1621, and died in Milton, March 21, 1709. His first wife was Tabitha ——, whom he married in England. (History of Milton, by A. K. Teele.) His daughter,

Lydia Kinsley, married about 1640, Anthony Gulliver, born 1619-20.

The following deeds prove the marriage of Lydia to Anthony Gulliver:

1656-7. Anthony Gulliver and Lydia, his wife, deed land. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 27, p. 202.)

1662, March 25th. Anthony Gulliver and Lydia, his wife, signed a deed, which was acknowledged by Anthony (but not by his wife) April 4, 1682. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 12, p. 224.)

John Kingsley came from England to Massachusetts before 1636, and was one of the seven who constituted the first church in Dorchester.

Stephen Kingsley, his brother, came to Massachusetts about the same time. His descendants have generally spelled their name Kinsley. Stephen died in Milton in 1673. He was made a freeman; he was a Ruling Elder of the church at Braintree in 1653. Afterwards he was of Dorchester, and in 1666 was a Representative of the town of Milton, Mass. (See Mitchell's Bridgewater, p. 220.)

(Extracts from manuscripts of Prof. James Luce Kingsley, of Yale College, in the possession of his son, Mr. William Kingsley of New Haven, Conn., now (1898) deceased.)

ROBINSON LINEAGE.

Capt. Jonathan Gulliver married (1st), Jan. 17, 1686, Mary Robinson of Dorchester, Mass. (N. E. Gen. Register, 1882, p. 19.)

Their daughter Hannah, born Feb. 10, 1690, was married in Milton, Mass., Jan. 3, 1722-3, to Stephen Winchester of Brookline, Mass., by Rev. Peter Thacher. (Brookline Records; also, N. E. Gen. Register, 1884.)

Mary Robinson was the daughter of Samuel Robinson and his wife Mary (Baker) Robinson; the granddaughter of William Robinson.

William Robinson, the emigrant, first appears in New England history as a member of the church in Dorchester, in 1636. His name is in the list of freemen of May 18, 1642, and on the rolls of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston in 1643.

Nothing is known of his parentage or birth, or just when he came to this country. He is said to have gone to England in 1644 and returned the following year. He was probably born about 1615, or possibly earlier. He appears first as a grantee of land, in 1656. He also bought the tide-mill, now known as Tileston's mill, of Edward Breck. He was chosen Rater (or Assessor) of Dorchester, in 1658, 1660, and 1661, and was Constable in 1659. He was killed by the mill wheel, July 6, 1668.

The will of William Robinson is recorded in the Probate Court in Boston, volume for 1668. It bears no date, and was never executed, in consequence, doubtless, of his sudden and tragical end. But the heirs accepted it, and their assent is endorsed upon it, under date of July 31, 1668. Signed by Ursula [mark] Robinson (his last wife), Samuel Robinson, Increase Robinson (sons), John Bridge, Joseph Penniman (sons-in-law).

(From "A Few Extracts from a Pamphlet Entitled 'William and Anne Robinson of Dorchester, Mass.'" by Edward Doubleday Harris, New York, 1890; also, from "A Memoir of Rev. William Robinson," by his son, Edward Robinson, Professor at Union Theological Seminary, New York, 1859.)

William Robinson is said to have been married three times: (1) to Prudence, mother of his children; (2) to Margaret (alive Oct., 1664); (3) to Ursula Adams of Braintree, who had had four husbands and was the widow of Stephen Streeter, when she married William Robinson. Her fourth husband was Griffin Crafts of Roxbury, whom she married July 15, 1673 (see Crafts Genealogy). (Robinson Memoir, by Edward Robinson.)

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM ROBINSON AND FIRST WIFE, PRUDENCE.

1. Samuel Robinson, baptized 14, 4, 1640—June 14, 1640.
2. Increase Robinson, baptized 14, 1, 1642—March 14, 1642.
3. Prudence Robinson, baptized 1643.
4. Waiting Robinson, baptized 26, 2, 1646—April 26, 1646.

Samuel Robinson, eldest son of William Robinson, baptized June 14, 1640; died in Dorchester, Sept. 16, 1718. (Blake's Annals, p. 41.)

He was a resident of Dorchester, and prominent in civil affairs. He inherited the estate of his father, in Dorchester, and appears to have been a thrifty manager and to have acquired a large property. He was a man of considerable note in the community, and in town and church records his name is usually distinguished by the prefix "Mr."

He was chosen Constable in 1666-7; Rater (or Assessor) in 1667, 1680, 1682, 1683, 1684; Selectman in 1688 and 1693; Representative to the General Court in 1701, 1702. (Blake's Annals, p. 41.)

Samuel Robinson married, in 1665, Mary, daughter of Richard and Faith (Withington) Baker.

In the Church Record we find the baptism of Mary Baker, 2, 12 (Feby. 2d), 1640, and against it written, "married Mr. Robinson." (Dr. Harris, MS. letter, April 6, 1855.)

She died May 9, 1715.

(From Robinson Memoir, by Edward Robinson, Professor at Union Theological Seminary, N. Y., 1859.)

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND MARY (BAKER) ROBINSON.

1. SAMUEL ROBINSON, born June 13, 1666.
2. MARY ROBINSON, born Aug. 11, 1668.
3. JOHN ROBINSON, born March, 1671.

(Town Records.)

Their second child and only daughter, Mary, born Aug. 11, 1668, married Jonathan Gulliver of Milton, Jan. 17, 1686; and they were the parents of Hannah Gulliver, who married Stephen Winchester. (Gen. Register, 1882.)

The eldest son, Samuel Robinson, Jr., born June 13, 1666, died March 30, 1734.

The third child, a son, born March, 1671,—though his birth is not found in the Dorchester Town Records,—is nevertheless the son of Samuel and Mary (Baker) Robinson: and he was the Rev. John Robinson of Duxbury, Mass., whose daughter, Faith, married, Dec. 9, 1735, Jonathan Trumbull, afterwards Governor of Connecticut.

The above fact in regard to the parentage of Rev. John Robinson of Duxbury has been proved beyond a doubt, and I add

the following statement from Memoir of the Rev. William Robinson, by Prof. Edward Robinson, in 1859:

"Samuel Robinson, Jr., died March 30, 1734, and his tombstone is in the old cemetery in Dorchester, Mass. On it is the following inscription:

'Here lies Buried the Body
of Mr. Samuel Robinson
who died March the 30th
Anno Domini 1734 in the
68th year of his age.'"

Mr. Edward Robinson, in the memoir of his father, says:

"In reply to some enquiries made at Lebanon, my father's native place, I learned for the first time, that the family record of his grandfather, the Minister of Duxbury, was still in existence. . . . It appears that these leaves had been cut out of the old family Bible and preserved, when the latter, with other effects, was sold at auction. These records were transmitted to me, and remain in my possession. A single entry, in the handwriting of Mr. Robinson of Duxbury, settles the question of his descent, showing him to have been a son of Samuel Robinson, and grandson of William Robinson of Dorchester. This entry runs thus:

"March 30, 1734—Died my only Brother Samuel Robinson, in the 68th year of his age."

Also the inscription on the Rev. John Robinson's tombstone and the obituary notice in the Boston *News-Letter* of Nov. 28, 1745, both fix his birth in the year 1671,—probably in March.

From Miss Leavitt of Boston, the following:

"Samuel Robinson's will:

. . . release of heirs: 'Whereas Sam. and Mary Robinson of Dorchester did in their lifetime give unto their son John Robinson of Duxbury sundry gift . . .'"

Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 29, p. 274 (Deed of Gift):

"Samuel Robinson, yeoman, of Dorchester, deed of gift to eldest son Samuel Robinson junior, for his more Comfortable support, on condition of payments hereafter mentioned, gives him all his messauges and certain parcels of land in Dorchester, his dwelling, outhouse, barns, stable, ground under the homestead, pasture, etc., in the whole 60 acres of land, . . . reserving to me, Samuel Robinson, and Mary, my wife, the use and benefit of our half of all, during our natural lives, on condition, that our son or his heirs shall, within twelve months after my and my wife's decease, pay to our son Mr. John Robinson, minister of Duxborough, the sum of £100, and to our son-in-law, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver, 10 s, I having given him his marriage portion with his wife, and to our two grandchildren, Hannah and Lydia Gulliver, £10 each, after my and my wife's decease."

Deed signed, May 2, 1715.

BAKER LINEAGE.

Samuel Robinson married Mary Baker in 1665. Their only daughter,

Mary Robinson, married Lieut. Jonathan Gulliver of Milton in 1686. Their daughter,

Hannah Gulliver, married Stephen Winchester in 1722.

Mary Baker baptized 2, 12 (Feb. 2), 1640. (Dorchester Church Records.) Died May 9, 1715. (Robinson Memoir.) She was the daughter of Richard and Faith (Withington) Baker.

Richard Baker came to New England 1635; Dorchester 1639; Freeman May 18, 1642; Selectman 1653; Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, enrolled in 1658-9. (A. H. Artillery Co., p. 168.) One of the Raters 1647, 1650, 1660; Constable 1663. Died Oct. 29, 1689. The inventory of his estate was £1,315. 15 s. He married Faith, daughter of Henry Withington, who died Feb. 3, 1689. (Genealogical Register, 1851, p. 395; also, James Savage, and Robinson Memoir, by Prof. Edward Robinson, 1859.)

In regard to Mary Baker, the Robinson Memoir, published in 1859, gives date of baptism thus: "In the church record we find the baptism of Mary Baker 2, 12 (Feb. 2d), 1640, and against it written: 'married Mr. Robinson.'"

Dorchester was settled before Boston or even Charlestown. (Gen. Register, 1851, p. 389.) It was settled in June, 1630. The Indians called it Mattapan. On the first list of names we find those of Richard Baker and Henry Withington.

WITHINGTON LINEAGE.

Richard Baker married Faith Withington, daughter of Henry Withington and first wife, Elizabeth. Their daughter,

Mary Baker, baptized Feb. 2, 1640, married Samuel Robinson of Dorchester.

Henry Withington, will 8, 11, 1664, died Feb. 2, 1666, aged 79, therefore born 1587, having been Ruling Elder 29 years.

Estate valued Mar. 6, 1666-7, £850. 17 s. 3 d. Wife Margaret, daughters Faith Baker, Mary Danforth, Ann Bate, son Richard's four sons, John, Ebenezer, Henry and Philip. A Mrs. Elizabeth Withington died 16, 12, 1660-1. She was his first wife. He married (2d) in 1662, Margaret, widow of Richard Paul. She was formerly Margaret Turner of Taunton (Pope's Mass. Pioneers). She died May 20, 1676. (Genealogical Register, 1851, p. 468, and other sources.)

In Rev. S. Danforth's Records of the First Church in Roxbury, Mass., is the following: "2d, 12, 1666. Mr. Henry Withington, Ruling Elder in y^{e} Church of Dorchester. A man that excelled in Wisdom, meekness and goodness, being aged 79, departed this life, and was buryed on y^{e} 5^{t} of 12^{m}. (N. E. Register, 1880, p. 166.)

His daughter Mary married, Feb. 2, 1644, President Thomas Danforth. (N. E. Register, 1853, p. 316.) His son Richard married Elizabeth Sybthorpe, baptized at Naring, April 8, 1627, daughter of Philip and Elizabeth Sybthorpe.

Henry Withington, Dorchester, came in 1635-6. Among first list of names published in Dorchester is that of Henry Withington. (Blake's Annals.)

PART FIRST

CHAPTER III

Stephen Winchester, Jr.
Children of Stephen Winchester, Jr.
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CHAPTER III

STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR.

(*Gen. IV*) Stephen Winchester, Jr.[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3]), eldest son of Stephen and Hannah (Gulliver) Winchester, was born August 11, 1723. He died in Newton, Mass., July 8, 1798, aged 75 years.

He was a wealthy farmer; Selectman in 1764. He was among the Newton men who did volunteer duty during the Revolutionary War, either at the battles of Lexington or Concord, or by manning the lines at Dorchester Heights, or by guarding the surrendered troops of General Burgoyne.

He married twice: (1st), in 1750, at King's Chapel, Boston, Beulah Trowbridge, daughter of Deacon William Trowbridge and his second wife, Sarah Fullum. (Sarah Fullum was the daughter of Francis Fullum, Esq., of Weston.) Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester, born Aug. 29, 1726, died May 21, 1762, aged 36. She had nine children.

He married (2d), in 1764, Hannah Aspinwall, widow of Caleb Aspinwall of Brookline, and daughter of Samuel, Sr. and Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings of Newton, Mass. She had seven children.

Stephen Winchester, Jr., purchased seventy-two acres of land of John Hammond in 1758.

At his death he left a will, giving only small legacies to most of his children, but to his son William all his lands in Jaffrey, N. H.; to his son Edmund one thousand dollars; and to his youngest son, Amasa, all his lands in Newton and Needham, and all his estate, he paying the legacies and maintaining the widow. She outlived her husband only three years, and died in 1801.

His will was witnessed by John Parker, David Richardson, and Dr. John King; proved Nov., 1798. Appraised by

Dr. John King, Joseph Parker, and Joseph Fuller, Jr.: Homestead, one hundred and fifty-one acres and buildings, $6,145; total inventory, $7,000. (Jackson's History of Newton.)

(*Gen.* V) CHILDREN OF STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR., AND FIRST WIFE, BEULAH TROWBRIDGE.

1. HANNAH WINCHESTER, born Feb. 1, 1751; married Ebenezer Greenwood, 1778.
2. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born Feb. 14, 1752; married Jonas Stone, Jr., in 1775.
3. CHARLES WINCHESTER, born Aug. 26, 1753; married Mary Wilkins, at King's Chapel, in Boston, Nov. 23, 1780.
4. SARAH WINCHESTER, born June 22, 1755; married Maj. Timothy Jackson, Nov. 28, 1782; died March 13, 1815.
5. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, born April 5, 1756; died unmarried in 1822 or 1827.
6. BEULAH WINCHESTER, born May 25, 1758; married Rev. Nathan Dana, in 1782.
7. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, born Aug. 18, 1759; became second wife of Jonas Stone, in 1807.
8. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born Oct. 22, 1760; died July 23, 1761.
9. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, born March 12, 1762; died unmarried in 1786, aged 24.

Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester died May 21, 1762, aged 36. (Newton Records.)

CHILDREN OF STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR., AND HIS SECOND WIFE, HANNAH (HASTINGS) ASPINWALL.

10. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born June 20, 1765; married Asa Fuller, in 1786.
11. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born July 8, 1766; married April 29, 1792, Sally Graves of Watertown, Mass.
12. FANNY WINCHESTER, born May 4, 1768; became second wife of Nathaniel Noreross.
13. MARY WINCHESTER, born March 24, 1770; married Moses Norcross, in 1799.
14. EDMUND WINCHESTER, born March 24, 1772; was married to Prudence Skillings, in Boston, Mass., Oct. 16, 1796, by Rev. Samuel Stillman. He died in Boston, in 1839.
15. AMASA WINCHESTER, born Aug. 2, 1775; married Sally, daughter of Col. Josiah and Mary (Dana) Fuller, May 7, 1800. He died in Boston, Mass., Dec. 18, 1846.
16. CATY WINCHESTER, born April 12, 1778; died young.

(Records of West Newton, Mass., in Oct., 1900.)

TROWBRIDGE LINEAGE.

Beulah Trowbridge, first wife of Stephen Winchester, Jr., born Aug. 29, 1726; died March 21, 1762. Daughter of

Deacon William Trowbridge and his second wife, Sarah Fullum, daughter of Francis Fullum, Esq., of Weston, whom he married May 30, 1721; born Nov. 19, 1684; died Nov. 19, 1744. He was Selectman four years, from 1736; Lieutenant, and Deacon of the church in Newton, Mass. Son of

Deacon James Trowbridge and his second wife, Margaret Jackson, daughter of Deacon John Jackson, born in Dorchester, Mass., 1636; baptized 1638; moved to Cambridge Village (now Newton, Mass.) in 1664; was Selectman nine years, from 1679; Clerk of the Writs, 1692, 1693; Lieutenant, and Representative to the General Court, 1700, 1703. He married (1st) Margaret Atherton, Dec. 30, 1659. He married (2d), Jan. 30, 1674, Margaret Jackson. He died May 22, 1717, aged 81. His will, dated 1709, proved 1717. Personal estate, outside of lands, £240, 0 s., 7 d. Third son of

Thomas Trowbridge, the common ancestor of the Trowbridges in America. Emigrated from Taunton, Somersetshire, England, as early as 1636, possibly in 1634, and lived in Dorchester, Mass.; removed to New Haven about 1639, and probably returned to England the latter part of the year 1644. His death took place at Taunton, England, Feb. 7, 1672. (Trowbridge Genealogy, by F. W. Chapman, A.M., 1872.)

HASTINGS LINEAGE.

Hannah Hastings, widow of Caleb Aspinwall, became the second wife of Stephen Winchester, Jr., of Newton, Mass., in 1764. The daughter of Samuel and Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings. Son of Stephen Hastings and Hannah Stacy. Daughter of Thomas Stacey and Hannah Hicks. Daughter of Zechariah Hicks and Elizabeth Sill. Daughter of John Sill of Cambridge and wife Joanna. Zechariah Hicks, the son of Thomas Hicks of Scituate, Mass., and Margaret West,

the daughter of Zachariah West of London, England. Hepsibah Dana, daughter of Daniel and Naomi (Croswell) Dana, the son of Richard Dana and Ann Bullard.

(*Gen. I*) John Hastings. Freeman in 1643; resided a few years at Braintree, and removed to Cambridge about 1654. His first wife died at Braintree, and he married (2d) Ann, the widow of John Meane of Cambridge. His children were all by his first wife: Walter and Samuel, baptized in England; John and Elizabeth, baptized in Braintree. He was Selectman in 1653, and died Dec. 2, 1657. Ann, his wife, died March 25, 1666. His son,

(*Gen. II*) Samuel Hastings, married Mary, daughter of John and Ann Meane, Nov. 12, 1661. Mary was born April 3, 1644. He was Selectman, 1672, 1691, 1692. He died Feb. 14, 1704-5, aged 70. His wife Mary survived. They had nine children. Their fourth child,

(*Gen. III*) Stephen Hastings, born May 23, 1669, in Cambridge, Mass., married, Oct. 28, 1708, Hannah, daughter of Thomas Stacy. Stephen Hastings died Sept. 24, 1726, aged 57. Their eldest son,

(*Gen. IV*) Samuel Hastings, baptized April 16, 1710, removed to Newton, Mass. He married, May 8, 1735, in Cambridge, Mass., Hepsibah Dana, baptized Oct. 24, 1714, the daughter of Daniel Dana, son of Richard. (Town Records of Cambridge, Mass.; also, letter from Rev. Lucius R. Paige, Aug. 3, 1894, author of History of Cambridge, Mass.)

Samuel and Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings had eleven children. Their fourth child,

(*Gen. V*) Hannah Hastings, born July 20, 1740, married (2d) Stephen Winchester, Jr. (History Cambridge, Mass., by Rev. Lucius R. Paige.)

STACEY LINEAGE.

(Also written Stacy.)

Stephen Hastings married Hannah, daughter of Thomas Stacy, Oct. 28, 1708. Thomas Stacy, Cambridge, Mass., the

son of Elizabeth Stace, widow of Ipswich, who made her will a day or two before she died, proved March 29, 1670 (Essex County Probate Files, No. 26069), in which she mentions "My sonne Thomas Stace." She was probably widow of Simon Stacy, a proprietor of Ipswich in 1637.

In the Genealogical Register for January, 1904, is a Stacy note, giving marriage of Thomas's father, Simon Stacy of Bocking, to Elizabeth Clark of Theydon Garnon, County Essex, England, Nov. 6, 1620.

Thomas Stacy, Cambridge, Mass. His estate divided Nov. 5, 1744.

He married Hannah Hicks, June 2, 1683, daughter of Zechariah Hicks. She was baptized March 4, 1665-6.

CHILDREN.

1. Hannah Stacy, born Sept. 2, 1684; married Stephen Hastings, Oct. 28, 1708.
2. Thomas Stacy, born about 1686.
3. Elizabeth Stacy, born Feb. 19, 1687-8.
4. Joseph Stacy, born about 1694; graduated at Harvard College 1719; ordained at Kingston, Nov. 3, 1720; died April 25, 1741. (Paige's History of Cambridge, p. 660.)

HICKS LINEAGE.

(Also written Hicke, Hickes.)

Thomas Stacy married Hannah Hicks, June 2, 1683, daughter of Zechariah and Elizabeth (Sill) Hicks. Hannah was baptized March 4, 1665-6.

Zechariah Hicks of Cambridge, born 1628-9, resided on Brighton Street, and his estate extended from Winthrop Street to Mt. Auburn Street. He married Elizabeth, daughter of John and Joanna Sill, Oct. 28, 1652; died in Cambridge, Aug. 5, 1702, aged 73. His wife Elizabeth died Sept. 12, 1730, aged 93. (Hist. of Cambridge, by Rev. Lucius R. Paige, p. 580.)

Zechariah Hicks was the son of Thomas Hicks of Scituate, Mass., and Margaret West. She was the daughter of Zachariah West, a linen draper of London. Will of Thomas Hicke (Scit-

uate, N. E. Genealogical Register, 1851, p. 260.) His will signed by his mark, Jan. 10, 1652. His wife, Margaret, executrix. To his sons Zachariah, Daniel and Samuel. Inventory by Walter Woodward and Wm. Brooks. Am't. £18. 2 s. His widow Margaret took oath to it Oct. 3, 1653.

Thomas Hicks, came with his brother Robert, in the Ship *Ann,* to Plymouth, Mass., in 1623. (History of Scituate, Mass., p. 283.)

Thomas Hicks of London (Southwark) married Margaret West, daughter of Zachariah West, a linen draper of London.

From American Ancestry, Vol. I, p. 37, The English Descent of Thomas Hicks of London, and Margaret West:

"Thomas Hicks was the son of James, m. Phebe—perhaps a daughter of Rev. Ephraim Allyne of Hertfordshire, son of Baptist, b. about 1526, m. Nancy, daughter of James Everhard, son of Thomas Hicks of Tortworth, Gloucestershire, England, which estate he inherited from his father, John Hicks, and on which he resided until his death. (m. Joan Darney.) This Thomas was the eldest son of John Hicks, who was lineally descended from Sir Ellis Hicks, who was knighted by Edward, the Black Prince at the battle of Poictiers, Sept. 19, 1356."

SILL LINEAGE.

(Also written Scill, Syll, Seyll.)

Zechariah Hicks of Cambridge, Mass., married Elizabeth Sill, Oct. 28, 1652, daughter of John Sill of Cambridge, and wife Joanna ——.

John Sill of Cambridge bought a house and lot at the southeast corner of Eliot and Winthrop streets, Cambridge, Mass.

By wife Joanna he had Elizabeth, born about 1637, who married Zechariah Hicks, Oct. 28, 1652, and died Sept. 12, 1730, aged 93.

John Sill was living in 1645, but died before 1662, when his wife Joanna had a grant of land, and another in 1665. She died before Oct., 1671, when her will was presented and approved.

His son, Joseph, born about 1639, was a Captain and engaged in Philip's War. (History of Cambridge by Lucius R. Paige.)

From Boston *Transcript*, June 30, 1897:

"John Syll was of Cambridge, 1637. Freeman May 2, 1635. Died before 1663. The will of his wife Joanna was approved October 1671."

John Sill married Joanna ——.

Zechariah Hicks married Elizabeth Sill, 1652.

Hannah Hicks married Thomas Stacy, 1683.

Hannah Stacy married Stephen Hastings, 1708.

Samuel Hastings married, 1735, Hepsibah Dana, daughter of Daniel Dana and Naomi Croswell, daughter of Thomas and Priscilla (Upham) Croswell. Priscilla Upham was the daughter of John Upham and Elizabeth Slade. Their daughter,

Hannah Hastings, married (1st) Caleb Aspinwall; (2d) Stephen Winchester in 1764.

DANA LINEAGE.

(Also written Danie and Dany.)

Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings, daughter of Daniel and Naomi (Croswell) Dana, was baptized in Cambridge, Oct. 24, 1714. She married Samuel Hastings of Cambridge (afterwards of Newton, Mass.), May 8, 1735. (Cambridge Town Records, and History of Cambridge, by Rev. Lucius R. Paige.) Their daughter,

Hannah Hastings, married (2d), in 1764, Stephen Winchester, Jr., of Newton, Mass. She was his second wife.

Daniel Dana of Cambridge, Mass., youngest son of Richard Dana, was born in Cambridge, March 20, 1663-4. He held the office of Tythingman in 1700; Surveyor in 1701; Selectman in 1715, 1725; Assessor in 1720-1725. He married Naomi Croswell of Charlestown, Mass., the daughter of Thomas and Priscilla (Upham) Croswell. Naomi Croswell was born Dec. 5, 1670: baptized 6, 12, 1686-7. Daniel Dana died Oct. 10, 1749, aged about 85 years. His widow, Naomi, died Feb. 24, 1750, aged 81. (History of Cambridge by Paige.) His will, dated Jan. 18, 1742, was proved Nov. 6, 1749. The executors were Thomas and Caleb Dana, his two eldest sons. Legacies

were given to his daughters, Hepsibah and Priscilla, and to grandson, William Upham, whose mother, Naomi, was dead.

Richard Dana settled in Cambridge in 1640. He was the progenitor of the Dana family in the United States. He had a large estate on Market Street, which street was laid out through his estate in 1656. He was elected Constable Nov., 1661, Surveyor of highways in 1665, and Tythingman, April, 1668; he was also a Grand Juror.

He married Ann Bullard of Cambridge, probably in 1648, his eldest child, John, being born April 15, 1649. She died probably July 15, 1711. Richard Dana died April 2, 1690, of injuries received by falling from a scaffold in his barn.

Inventory of his estate, £209. 3. 6, and 101 acres of land. The estate was settled by agreement of the widow and children, date April 6, 1691. This agreement was signed by Anne, the widow, Jacob, Joseph, Benjamin, Daniel, Samuel Oldham, Daniel Woodward, and Samuel Hyde. (Middlesex Records, Vol. VIII, p. 333; Dana Genealogy, by John Jay Dana.)

CHILDREN OF DANIEL AND NAOMI (CROSWELL) DANA.

1. Thomas Dana, named in his father's will.
2. Caleb Dana, baptized June 13, 1697.
3. Richard Dana, born June 26, 1700.
4. Naomi Dana, born Aug. 7, 1702; married William Upham of Pomfret, June 21, 1722.
5. Timothy Dana, born April 16, 1705; died May 3, 1705.
6. Priscilla Dana, born March 10, 1705-6; married (1) Joseph Hill, Aug. 24, 1727; (2) Capt. Samuel Gookin, May 15, 1740; died probably April, 1785.
7. Ebenezer Dana, born Dec. 12, 1711.
8. Hepsibah Dana, baptized Oct. 24, 1714; married Samuel Hastings, May 8, 1735.
9. Daniel Dana, died Dec. 5, 1713.

CROSWELL LINEAGE.

Daniel Dana married Naomi Croswell, fifth child of Thomas and Priscilla (Upham) Crosswell of Charlestown, Mass.

Naomi Croswell, born Dec. 5, 1670; baptized 6, 12, 1686-7; married Daniel Dana; died Feb. 24, 1750-1.

Thomas Croswell, the father, was admitted to the church Jan. 20, 1705-6; died Aug. 30, 1708, aged 75; therefore born about 1633. He married, about 1662, Priscilla Upham, born in 1642, the daughter of Deacon John Upham and wife Elizabeth Slade. (Wyman's Genealogies and Estates of Charlestown, Mass.) Priscilla (Upham) Croswell died Dec. 8, 1717.

UPHAM LINEAGE.

Thomas Croswell married, about 1662, Priscilla Upham, daughter of John Upham and wife Elizabeth Slade. (English Records.)

John Upham, the ancestor, probably, of all families of that name in New England, arrived in America in the company that came with the Rev. Joseph Hull and settled the town of Weymouth. He is on the earliest list of land owners to whom grants were made in Weymouth under date of 1636, probably copied from the original record, not now in existence. Among these: John Upham, 30 acres. (Sketch of the Town of Weymouth, Mass., from 1622 to 1884, by Gilbert Nash.) And among the earliest settlers of Weymouth are mentioned: William Torrey, John Upham, Enoch Hunt, and Thomas Richardes, all as owning land. John Upham was admitted a freeman Sept. 2, 1635, the same year he came to America.

He was Representative of Weymouth 1636, 1637, 1638, and 1639; in 1642 was one of the Commissioners for treating with the Indians in relation to lands in Weymouth; was Selectman; and in 1644, 1645, 1646, and 1647, was one of the Commissioners to end small causes. Between 1648 and 1650 he moved to Malden, about which time that town was granted and a church organized. In Malden he was a Selectman and a Commissioner for settling small causes, and was Deacon of the church more than twenty-four years. He died in Malden, Mass., Feb. 25, 1681. He came from Weymouth, County Dorset, England.

Priscilla Upham, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Slade) Upham, married, about 1662, Thomas Croswell. Their daughter,

Naomi Croswell, married Daniel Dana, son of Richard Dana. Their daughter,

Hepsibah Dana, married May 8, 1735, Samuel Hastings. Their daughter,

Hannah Hastings, married (2d) in 1764, Stephen Winchester, Jr. She was his second wife.

UPHAM LINEAGE.

ENGLISH ANCESTRY OF JOHN UPHAM.

John Upham married (1st) Elizabeth Slade, probably the mother of all his children. She was living (signed a deed) Dec. 2, 1670, but must have died soon afterwards, as John Upham married (2d) in Malden, Aug., 1671, Catherine, widow of Angel Hollard of Boston. A deed of relinquishment to all her property proves this fact.

To prove John Upham's marriage to Elizabeth Slade, the following from Mr. Upham to Miss Leavitt, Feb., 1905:

"The register of the Church at Bicton shows: Married November 1, 1626, John Upham and Elizabeth Slade. His identity is established by his father's will of 1635, at Exeter. John Upham was at Exeter a few months before his emigration, as the Parish registers of Holy Trinity of Exeter show the baptism 1634, Sept. 21, of Phineas, the sonne of John and Elizabeth Upham. Burial 1634, Oct. 2, Phineas Upham. Bicton is about eleven miles from Exeter."

Mr. Upham made a pilgrimage to the Parish of Bicton, Hundreds of East Budleigh, Devonshire, England, a few years ago, to ascertain the above facts.

John Upham died in Malden (gravestone), Feb. 26, 1681-2, aged 84, therefore born in 1597-8.

The births of his children are not all recorded. The following is a list of them from various sources:

CHILDREN.

1. Mary Upham, born 1628; married John Whittemore; she died 1677.
2. Elizabeth Upham, born 1630; married Thomas Welsh; she died Jan. 12, 1705.

3. NATHANIEL UPHAM, born 1632, admitted freeman May, 1655, was a minister and preached at Malden. (Roxbury Records.)
4. PHINEAS UPHAM, baptized at Holy Trinity, Exeter, England, Sept. 21, 1634; buried Oct. 2, 1634.
5. HANNAH UPHAM.
6. PHINEAS UPHAM, born 1635-6; died 1676, aged 41; a Lieutenant in 1675.
7. JOHN UPHAM, buried in Weymouth, June 5, 1640.
8. PRISCILLA UPHAM, born 1642; married about 1662 Thomas Croswell, and died Dec. 8, 1717.

(From Early Settlers of Watertown, Mass., by Henry Bond, M.D.; also N. E. Register for 1847, p. 365.)

BULLARD LINEAGE.

There were a number of early settlers in Massachusetts of the name of Bullard, and there is a tradition that eight brothers of this name came about the same time to America, viz.: Robert, Benjamin, Jonathan, William, John, Isaac, Nathaniel, and George. Three of them settled at Watertown: Robert, Benjamin, and George.

Robert Bullard, husband of Anne, buried 24, 4, 1639, aged 40. (Watertown Records.) No notice of any children has been discovered. (Bond's Watertown, 1860, Vol. 1, p. 147.)

In the History of Sutton, Mass., by Rev. Benedict and Rev. Tracy, there is a genealogy of the Bullard family, by William S. Barton, in which the following statement is made:

"Robert Bullard was unquestionably the ancestor of the Sutton family of that name. He was probably born about 1599, and it is a matter of record that he died in Watertown April 24, 1639, aged forty. He left a widow Anne or Anna, and probably three children: Benjamin, Anna and Maudlin. Benjamin was born about 1630, and many writers have confused him with his father, Robert, and some even have considered him the founder of the family."

It seems probable that Anna, daughter of Robert Bullard, married Richard Dana.

CHARLES WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) CHARLES WINCHESTER[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3]), second son of Stephen and Hannah (Gulliver) Winchester, born in Newton, Mass., Aug. 21, 1726.

GULLIVER WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Gulliver Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3]), son of Stephen and Hannah (Gulliver) Winchester, was born on the old farm at Newton, Mass., March 4, 1733. He probably lived in both Newton and Brookline, as he died in the latter town, Nov., 1811, aged 78; and his wife died there in 1797, aged 60. (West Newton Records.) He married Anna Hammond, June 8, 1758, born Sept. 23, 1736, daughter of John and Margaret (Wilson) Hammond, granddaughter of Samuel and Experience (Trowbridge) Wilson. (Samuel Wilson was the son of Nathaniel Wilson, Sr., of Roxbury, who removed to Cambridge Village.) (Marriage of Gulliver and Anna Hammond in Middlesex Marriages, Vol. II, p. 45.)

(*Gen. V*) children of gulliver and anna (hammond) winchester.

1. Elizabeth Winchester, born Feb. 13, 1759; married, May 24, 1787, to Edward Mitchell, by Rev. Joseph Jackson. (First Parish Church Records, p. 109.) Edward Mitchell kept a tavern in Newton.
2. Henry Winchester, born Aug. 10, 1761; died in 1801, unmarried; a schoolmaster.
3. Anna (or Nancy) Winchester, born July 26, 1762; married by Rev. Joseph Jackson, to James Foster, Nov. 26, 1782. (Brookline Parish Records, p. 107.) (The above children probably born in Newton.)
4. William Winchester, baptized July 1, 1764; married Anna Fuller in 1800, and settled in Roxbury. (Brookline Parish Records.)
5. Mary Winchester, baptized Nov. 9, 1766; married by Rev. Jackson, Dec. 31, 1788, to John Durell. (First Parish Records.) John Durell, born March 7, 1760, the son of Peter Durell of French descent, and wife Ruth, daughter of Isaac Fuller. Peter Durell and Ruth Fuller were married in 1751. Ruth Fuller, daughter of Isaac and Hannah (Greenwood) Fuller, was born Sept. 18, 1729.
6. Susanna Winchester, baptized May 22, 1768; married Abijah Seaverns of Roxbury.
7. Artemas Winchester, baptized Aug. 12, 1770; died 1812, unmarried.
8. Lucretia Winchester, baptized Oct. 24, 1773; married Jabez Lewis of Roxbury.

(The above baptisms from Brookline Parish Records.)

LINEAGE OF WILLIAM WINCHESTER, SON OF GULLIVER WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) William Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Gulliver*[4]) was born June 25, and baptized July 1, 1764, in Brookline. He married, Nov. 27, 1800, Anna Fuller, and moved to Centre Street, Jamaica Plain or West Roxbury. Here, on this farm, have dwelt four generations of this family of Winchesters, their records being found in the family Bible.

Anna Fuller, born July 12, 1783, daughter of Josiah Fuller, Jr., and his third wife, Mary (Dana) Fuller.

William Winchester died Sept. 6, 1857, aged 93.

(*Gen. VI*) children.

1. Artemas Winchester, born March 30, 1803; died Dec. 29, 1858, unmarried.
2. William Winchester, born 1804; died young.
3. William Winchester, born May 27, 1805.

(From family Bible Mr. Henry W. Cunningham of Boston got the lineage of William Winchester, born May 27, 1805.)

WILLIAM WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) William Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Gulliver*[4], *William*[5]), son of William and Anna (Fuller) Winchester, born May 27, 1805; lived at West Roxbury; died Oct. 25, 1856. He married (1st), Nov. 30, 1826, Mary Parker Seaverns, who died Aug., 1839. He married (2d), Oct. 18, 1842, Ann Augusta Seaverns, sister of his first wife. She died Aug., 1891.

(*Gen. VII*) children of william and mary parker (seaverns) winchester.

1. Luther Seaverns Winchester, born July 23, 1827; died young.
2. William Henry Winchester, born Sept. 24, 1828; died Jan. 19, 1897, at West Roxbury; married Rose A. Lewis of Kittery, Me. They had two daughters:
   - i. Henrietta Winchester, married —— Kernan of Boston.
   - ii. Ellen Stearns Winchester, not married.

3. Parker Seaverns Winchester, born Feb. 3, 1831; died in 1893-4, at Worcester, Mass., unmarried.
4. Anna Fuller Winchester, born Aug. 11, 1832; married —— Homes.
5. Artemas Winchester, born Sept. 1, 1834; married Lydia A. Kelton, Oct. 4, 1860.
6. Luther Seaverns Winchester, born Dec. 6, 1835; died young.
7. Mary Parker Winchester, born Aug. 17, 1837; became second wife of Homes, her brother-in-law.
8. Edmund Dana Winchester, born Aug. 19, 1839; died young.

ARTEMAS WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Artemas Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Gulliver*[4], *William*[5], *William*[6]), son of William and Mary Parker (Seaverns) Winchester, was born Sept. 1, 1834. He lives on the old farm at West Roxbury. He married, Oct. 4, 1860, Lydia A. Kelton.

(*Gen. VIII*) children.

1. William Artemas Winchester, born Nov. 13, 1861; died Jan. 1, 1862.
2. Mary Kelton Winchester, born Feb. 8, 1863; married Fred C. Packard.
3. Edward Parker Winchester, born March 19, 1865; married June 21, 1897, Alice Parker Crispin.
4. Frederick Artemas Winchester, born Sept. 22, 1869; married Oct. 11, 1893, Anna Florence Prince. They had two children:
   i. Howard Prince Winchester, born Jan. 14, 1895.
   ii. William Earl Winchester, born Sept. 24, 1896.
5. Augusta Seaverns Winchester, born Aug. 31, 1871.

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CHAPTER IV

Children of Stephen Winchester, Jr.

Hannah Winchester.

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Dana Lineage.

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Abigail Winchester.

Elizabeth Winchester.

Fuller Lineage.

William Winchester.

Fanny Winchester.

Norcross Lineage.

Mary Winchester.

Edmund Winchester.

Amasa Winchester.

Fuller Lineage.

Children of Amasa Winchester.

CHAPTER IV

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR., AND HIS FIRST WIFE, BEULAH (TROWBRIDGE) WINCHESTER.

1. HANNAH WINCHESTER, born Feb. 1, 1751; married Ebenezer Greenwood, 1778.
2. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born Feb. 14, 1752; married Jonas Stone, Jr., in 1775.
3. CHARLES WINCHESTER, born Aug. 26, 1753; married Mary Wilkins, at King's Chapel, Boston, Nov. 23, 1780.
4. SARAH WINCHESTER, born June 22, 1755; married Maj. Timothy Jackson, Nov. 28, 1782; died March 13, 1815.
5. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, born April 5, 1756; died unmarried, in 1822 or in 1827.
6. BEULAH WINCHESTER, born May 25, 1758; married Rev. Nathan Dana, in 1782.
7. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, born Aug. 18, 1759; became second wife of Jonas Stone, in 1807.
8. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born Oct. 22, 1760; died July 23, 1761.
9. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, born March 12, 1762; died unmarried in 1786.

Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester died May 21, 1762, aged 36. (Newton Records.)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR., AND HIS SECOND WIFE, HANNAH (ASPINWALL) WINCHESTER.

10. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born June 20, 1765; married Asa Fuller, in 1786.
11. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born July 8, 1766; married, April 29, 1792, Sally Graves of Watertown, Mass.
12. FANNY WINCHESTER, born May 4, 1768; became second wife of Nathaniel Norcross.
13. MARY WINCHESTER, born March 24, 1770; married Moses Norcross, in 1799.
14. EDMUND WINCHESTER, born March 24, 1772; married Prudence Skillings; they were married in Boston, Mass., Oct. 16, 1796, by Rev. Samuel Stillman. He died in Boston in 1839.
15. AMASA WINCHESTER, born Aug. 2, 1775; married Sally, daughter of Col. Josiah and Mary (Dana) Fuller, May 7, 1800. He died in Boston, Mass., Dec. 18, 1846.
16. CATY WINCHESTER, born April 12, 1778; died young.

(Records of West Newton, Mass.)

CHILDREN OF STEPHEN WINCHESTER, JR., AND BEULAH TROWBRIDGE.

(*Gen. V*) Hannah Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester, born in Newton, Mass., Feb. 1, 1751; died Jan., 1803; married Ebenezer Greenwood, in 1778, son of Lieut. Josiah and Phebe (Stearns) Greenwood. Ebenezer Greenwood was born Oct. 1, 1753.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN.

1. Hannah Greenwood, born March 25, 1779; married Joshua Fuller, Jr.
2. Joseph Greenwood, born Dec. 16, 1780; died unmarried.
3. Stephen Greenwood, born April 6, 1782; died unmarried.
4. Beulah Greenwood, born June 5, 1783; married James Fuller.

GREENWOOD LINEAGE.

Ebenezer Greenwood, son of Lieut. Josiah Greenwood, grandson of John and Hannah (Trowbridge) Greenwood. John Greenwood, Esq., was Selectman of Newton eighteen years, from 1711; Justice of the Peace, and Representative three years. He was the son of Thomas and Hannah (Ward) Greenwood.

Thomas Greenwood, a weaver, came to Newton, Mass., in 1667. Married Hannah, daughter of John Ward, Sr., July 8, 1670. He was Selectman four years, and probably the first Town Clerk. He died Sept. 1, 1693.

MARTHA WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Martha Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester, born Feb. 14, 1752; married, in 1775, Jonas Stone, Jr., born July 13, 1749, son of Capt. Jonas and Ann Stone. Martha (Winchester) Stone died May 3, 1806, and Jonas Stone, Jr., married (2d), in 1807, Abigail Winchester, sister of his first wife. He died Feb. 4, 1835. Abigail, his widow, died Jan., 1847.

STONE LINEAGE.

Capt. Jonas Stone, son of Deacon John Stone and his second wife, Abigail Stratton of Watertown, was born Sept. 5, 1722. Was Selectman five years and Deacon. He died in 1804 and his wife died in 1794.

Deacon John Stone, born Sept. 18, 1692; married (1st) Lydia Hyde, in 1717; (2d) Abigail Stratton of Watertown in 1719. Deacon John Stone died in 1769. He was the son of Hon. Ebenezer Stone of Newton, who was born in 1663, and his first wife, Margaret Trowbridge, who was born April 30, 1666. She was the daughter of James and Margaret (Atherton) Trowbridge of Dorchester, afterwards of Newton. Hon. Ebenezer Stone and Margaret Trowbridge were married March 18, 1686. She died May 4, 1710. He was Selectman ten years, Deacon, Representative nine years, and Councilor. He died Oct. 4, 1754, aged 90. His will was proved in 1754.

CHARLES WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Charles Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4]), born Aug. 26, 1753; married at King's Chapel, Boston, Nov. 23, 1780, to Mary Wilkins. Boston Intentions: Charles Winchester—Mary Wilkins, Oct. 14, 1780. She died in 1810.

Probably the following refers to this Charles:

Stephen and Charles of Brookline, land in Needham, March 25, 1784. (Suffolk Deeds, Vol. 142, p. 99.)

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Page 217: Phebe, daughter of Charles and Mary Winchester, born May 16, 1787. Mary, dau. of Charles and Mary Winchester, born Nov. 2. 1799.
Page 578: Widow of Charles Winchester died in Newton March 13, 1810.

By his will of Nov., 1798, Stephen Winchester gave his sons Charles and Jonathan four dollars each.

SARAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen.* V) Sarah Winchester, daughter of Stephen Winchester, Jr., and Beulah Trowbridge, born June 22, 1755, married Major Timothy Jackson, Nov. 28, 1782. He was born in Newton, Mass., Aug. 3, 1756, the son of Timothy and Sarah (Smith) Jackson, grandson of Joseph and Patience (Hyde) Jackson, great-grandson of Sebas and Sarah (Baker) Jackson, and great-great-grandson of Edward Jackson, Sr., of London, England, one of the first settlers of Newton.

Major Timothy Jackson, at the age of fifteen, joined one of the Newton companies of militia, and at the age of eighteen an independent company of "Minute Men," raised Jan., 1775. At the Town Meeting March, 1780, he was chosen a member of the School Committee, and also of a committee to raise men for the army. From that time until his last sickness, in 1814, he was continually serving in various town and state offices. He was Adjutant and Brigade Major in the Militia; kept the town school in the north district two winters; was deputy Sheriff ten years from 1791; Selectman for many years; Moderator of nearly all the town meetings from 1795 to 1810 inclusive, and Representative to the General Court fifteen years in succession, from 1797, the duties of all of which he most ably and faithfully discharged. He was distinguished for energy, judgment, integrity, and firmness.

He died Nov. 22, 1814. His wife, Sarah Winchester, died March 15, 1815.

BEULAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen.* V) Beulah Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester, born May 25, 1758, married the Rev. Nathan Dana in 1782. He was one of the founders of the First Baptist Church in Newton, Mass., was Clerk, Jan., 1781, Deacon 1788, received a call and was ordained to the work of the ministry Nov. 20, 1793. He preached at Leicester,

Mass., Charlotte, Hubbardston, and Pittsford, Vt., where he died July 7, 1833.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN.

1. NANCY DANA, born Sept. 30, 1783; died March 22, 1784.
2. BEULAH DANA, born Feb. 11, 1785, married May 1, 1809, Dr. Kenelm Winslow of Pittsford, Vt.; died April 8, 1858.

CHILDREN.

i. BENJAMIN F. WINSLOW.
ii. STEPHEN DANA WINSLOW.
iii. EDMUND WINSLOW.

3. STEPHEN WINCHESTER DANA, born Nov. 7, 1786; married Sept. 26, 1810, Esther Rumsey. He resided at Poultney, Vt., and Troy, N. Y.; was a merchant, President of Commercial Bank, and President of Troy & Greenbush Railroad; died Aug. 6, 1846.
4. SAMUEL DANA, born Dec. 23, 1788; married March 10, 1818, his cousin Nancy Winchester, born July 28, 1798, only daughter of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester. Mr. Dana was for many years senior partner of the banking house of Dana, Fenno & Henshaw of Boston, for a quarter of a century leading bankers in New England. He died Nov. 17, 1854, in Boston and Mrs. Dana died Aug 1, 1862, in Stamford, Conn.

   Samuel Dana and Nancy Winchester were published Feb. 18, 1818; married March 10, 1818, by the Rev. Thomas Baldwin. (Book of Publishments and Marriages in the City Hall of Boston, Mass.)
5. ANDERSON GREENE DANA, M.D., born Sept. 17, 1791; married Aug. 11, 1816, Eliza A. Fuller. He was State Senator, President of Vermont Medical Society; LL.D. Middlebury College. Died Aug. 20, 1861.
6. AARON DANA, born Aug. 8, 1793; married Dec. 2, 1820, E. C. R. Hayden. She was drowned Sept., 1854. He died Aug. 9, 1852.
7. FRANCIS WASHINGTON DANA, born June 21, 1799; married Oct. 6, 1825, Ann F. Houghton; died Aug. 3, 1835? His widow married Mr. Shaeffer.

LINEAGE OF REV. NATHAN DANA.

Rev. Nathan Dana was the son of John and Abigail (Smith) Dana, the grandson of Capt. Benjamin and Anna (Francis) Dana.

Capt. Benjamin Dana, born in Cambridge, Mass., April 28, 1689, lived in Brighton, was a shipmaster. He married Anna,

daughter of John Francis, July 23, 1724. He died June 5, 1751.

Capt. Benjamin Dana was the son of Benjamin Dana, born Feb. 20, 1661-2. He married Mary Buckmaster (or Buckminster), May 24, 1688. He was Tythingman in 1699 and 1701, Surveyor in 1702, and died Aug. 13, 1738.

Benjamin Dana was the son of Richard and Ann (Bullard) Dana.

ABIGAIL WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Abigail Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Beulah (Trowbridge) Winchester, born Aug. 18, 1759, became second wife of her brother-in-law, Jonas Stone, Jr., in 1807. He died Feb. 4, 1835. She died Jan., 1847.

Stephen Winchester, Jr., married (2d) Feb. 19, 1764, Hannah Hastings Aspinwall.

ELIZABETH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Elizabeth Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Anna (Hastings-Aspinwall) Winchester, born June 20, 1765, married, in 1786, Asa Fuller, son of Capt. Joseph and Mindwell (Stone) Fuller. He was born June 17, 1757.

FULLER LINEAGE.

Capt. Joseph Fuller married Mindwell, daughter of Deacon John Stone in 1756.

Capt. Joseph Fuller raised and commanded a company of ninety-six men in Col. Bullard's Regiment, marched to Bennington, thence to Skeensboro and Lake George, to oppose the progress of Gen. Burgoyne, who surrendered Oct. 17, 1777; thence to Cambridge to guard the captured troops of Burgoyne. He died in 1807. His line runs back to John Fuller, born 1611-12, the first settler in Cambridge Village (now Newton, Mass.) in 1644. John Fuller married Elizabeth ——. He and Joseph Jackson were the largest land-owners in the village.

He acquired a tract of land of upwards of one thousand acres, which was known as the "Fuller Farm." He divided it among his five living sons in his will, dated 1696. He died Feb. 7, 1698-9; his wife Elizabeth died in 1700.

WILLIAM WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) William Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4]), son of Stephen Winchester, Jr., and his second wife, Hannah (Hastings) Aspinwall, was born July 8, 1766. He died in Keene, N. H., Aug. 11, 1808, aged 42. He married, April 29, 1792, Sally Graves of Watertown, Mass., and settled on the land his father gave him at Jaffrey, N. H.

Records of Jaffrey, N. H., give three* children as follows:

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND SALLY (GRAVES) WINCHESTER, BORN AT JAFFREY.

1. Stephen Winchester, born Oct. 3, 1792.
2. Cynthia Winchester, born April 26, 1794.
3. William Winchester, born May 6, 1796.
4. Martha Winchester.*
5. Fanny Winchester.*

Also History of Jaffrey, p. 520: William and Sally Winchester's children born at Jaffrey.

It seems probable that the following marriage is that of Stephen Winchester, born at Jaffrey, N. H., Oct. 3, 1792:

Levi Fuller, baptized 1762 at Bolton, Conn., died 1822; married, 1783, at Surry, N. H., Mary Bluton of Surry, and had twelve children of whom No. 9 was Nancy, born March 9, 1798; married Aug. 22, 1814, to Stephen Winchester. Levi Fuller lived at Surry, near Keane, N. H., and enlisted in the Revolution from Walpole. (Descendants of Dr. Edward Fuller of Mayflower, published at Palmer, Mass., 1908, p. 59.)

* Two more, Martha and Fanny, are given by Jackson in his History of Newton. Jaffrey records give nothing more about this family. It is quite possible that Stephen and William have left descendants. (Henry W. Cunningham, 1898.)

From Records, copied from a private volume of Jonas and Elijah Stone, in Vol. 1, West Newton Records, in City Hall, West Newton, Mass., the following record of the death of William Winchester, in Keane, N. H., is given: "William Winchester died August 11, 1808, aged 42 years, of Keene, N. H." (Also Keene, N. H., Vital Statistics, p. 246.)

As the records of Jaffrey, N. H., give only the births of William Winchester's three children, Stephen, Cynthia and William—the last born in 1796—it is probable that he left Jaffrey and settled in Keene, N. H., where he died in 1808.

Lancaster, Mass., Vital Records give: "Mr. William Bridge of Lancaster, Mrs. Sally Winchester of Surry, N. H. June 18, 1814, Entered their intention of marriage." She was probably the widow of William Winchester.

FANNY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Fanny Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Anna (Hastings-Aspinwall) Winchester, born May 4, 1768; became the second wife of Nathaniel Norcross, born Jan. 30, 1747. This marriage took place after 1805.

NORCROSS LINEAGE.

Nathaniel Norcross, son of Philip and Sarah (Jackson) Norcross; grandson of Nathaniel Norcross of Watertown and wife Susanna; great-grandson of Richard Norcross (born 1621) and his second wife Susanna, widow of William Shattuck.

Richard Norcross was the first schoolmaster mentioned in the town records of Watertown, Mass., chosen Jan. 11, 1650; and is said to have been the only one for twenty years. He was a teacher as late as 1687. He taught Latin, English, and writing all the year for £30.

He married (1st) Mary Brooks in 1650. She died Feb. 24, 1671-2. He married (2d) Nov. 18, 1673, Susanna Shattuck, widow of William Shattuck.

Richard Norcross was the son of Jeremiah Norcross, who settled in Watertown as early as 1642, where he was a large proprietor; was freeman Feb. 1652-3, and Selectman in 1649; he died in 1657. (Bond's Watertown, and Jackson's Newton.)

MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Mary Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Anna (Hastings-Aspinwall) Winchester, born March 24, 1770, married Moses Norcross, May 6, 1799. He was baptized Aug. 14, 1774, son of Josiah Norcross of Watertown and wife, Elizabeth Child. They settled at Northboro, Mass. (Births from West Newton Town Records; copied by Miss E. W. Leavitt.)

(Most of the above lineages of Stephen Winchester's children are taken from Jackson's History of Newton, Mass.)

CHILDREN.

1. Mary Norcross.
2. Ermina Norcross.
3. Stephen Winchester Norcross.
4. Fanny Winchester Norcross.
5. Harriet Norcross.

EDMUND WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Edmund Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4]), born March 24, 1772; died May 7, 1839; married Prudence Skillings, Oct. 16, 1796. She was born 1770; died in 1834.

AMASA WINCHESTER.

I shall give the following sketch of Amasa Winchester, the youngest son but one of Stephen Winchester, in order to continue without a break the lineage of Edmund Winchester, Sr.:

(*Gen. V*) Amasa Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4]), born in Newton, Mass., Aug. 2, 1775; died in Boston, Mass., Dec. 18, 1846, aged 71. He married, May 7, 1800, Sally Fuller, the daughter of Col. Josiah Fuller, Jr.,

and his third wife Mary (Dana) Fuller; she was born March 9, 1781; died in Boston, Mass., April 9, 1846.

Amasa Winchester, by his father's will, took the homestead and all his lands in Newton and Needham; he gave three-fourths of an acre of land for the South burial place in Newton, Mass.

He was junior partner of the firm of E. A. & W. Winchester of Boston.

From a History of the Handel and Haydn Society of Boston, by Charles C. Perkins, the following:

Amasa Winchester was President of the Massachusetts Musical Society from Oct., 1809, to its dissolution in 1810. He was one of the sixteen persons who met in Boston in 1815 for the purpose of organizing the Handel and Haydn Society and electing the officers thereof. He was Vice-President of the Handel and Haydn Society in 1815, 1816, 1818, a trustee of it in 1817, 1827 and 1828; President of the Society from Sept., 1819, to Sept., 1823; again from Sept., 1824, to Sept., 1827.

His taste and knowledge of music was self-acquired and extensive, he was zealous for its advancement and for many years led the choir of Dr. Stillman's church. Besides being President of the Handel and Haydn Society he was a member of several other musical societies. To no individual is Boston more indebted in time, talent and purse, in promoting the culture of music. Handel and Mozart were his favorites. After Dr. Stillman's death, he went to Dr. Sharpe's church. He died December, 1846. Boston never had a better or more useful citizen.

LINEAGE OF SALLY FULLER, WIFE OF AMASA WINCHESTER.

Sally Fuller, born March 9, 1781, daughter of

Col. Josiah Fuller, Jr., and his third wife, Mary Dana. The son of

Ensign Josiah Fuller, born Dec. 2, 1710; married Abigail Williams in 1739. The son of

Lieut. Jeremiah Fuller and his third wife Thankful ——. Jeremiah Fuller, Selectman sixteen years from 1702, Modera-

tor of Town Meetings for many years. In his will of 1742 he gave to son Josiah, sixty-six acres of land and part of his books. Lieut. Jeremiah Fuller died in 1743. He was the son of

John Fuller, Sr., one of the first settlers of Cambridge Village (Newton) and one of the largest land-owners of the town. (Jackson's History of Newton.)

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN OF AMASA AND SALLY (FULLER) WINCHESTER.

1. HARRIET WINCHESTER, born March 9, 1801; died Aug. 4, 1847; married Capt. Grosvenor. They had one child.
   i. HARRIET WINCHESTER GROSVENOR, born 1844; died Jan. 10, 1846.
2. SARAH (or SALLY) WINCHESTER, born March 3, 1803; died Oct. 31, 1816.
3. AMASA WINCHESTER, born March 14, 1805; died in Boston, Mass., March 5, 1875. He was buried at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.
4. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, born Sept. 18, 1807; died Feb. 8, 1845, unmarried.
5. FANNY WINCHESTER, born Jan. 24, 1810; died Sept. 16, 1830, unmarried.

There are no descendants of Amasa Winchester, Sr., living to-day (1894). The eldest son, Amasa, inherited the homestead at Newton, Mass., and a large fortune from his father. This homestead, with a farm of three or four hundred acres, was the same that Amasa Winchester, Sr., inherited from his father, Stephen Winchester. A railroad was built through this property, which in a few years would have greatly increased its value, but this fact so annoyed Amasa Winchester, Jr., that he sold the estate at a sacrifice, after it had been in the family for one hundred and eighty years.

Amasa Winchester, Jr., never married. He lived for a great many years in a house he owned on Somerset Street, Boston, where he died in 1875. At his death, his large property of about four hundred thousand dollars, well invested, was divided among the children of his first cousins, Winchesters and Fullers sharing alike. The executor was Stephen Winchester, a grandson of Edmund Winchester, Sr.

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EDMUND WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Edmund Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4]), born in Newton, Mass., March 24, 1772, son of Stephen Winchester, Jr., and his second wife Hannah Aspinwall, the widow of Caleb Aspinwall, and daughter of Samuel and Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings of Newton, was the great-grandson of John Winchester, the first Representative from Brookline in the Colonial Assembly of Massachusetts from 1706 to 1710 inclusive; he was also a descendant of the Gullivers of Milton, his grandmother Winchester being Hannah, daughter of Capt. Jonathan Gulliver by his first wife, Mary Robinson, daughter of Mr. Samuel Robinson of Dorchester, Mass. (Town Clerk of Milton, Mass., in Nov., 1894; also N. E. Register for 1882, p. 19.)

Between 1704 and 1729, Capt. Jonathan Gulliver was Selectman, Town Treasurer and Moderator for many years, also Representative to the General Court in 1727, 1734 and 1737.

On the maternal side, Mr. Winchester was a grandson of Samuel and Hepsibah (Dana) Hastings, consequently a lineal descendant of John Hastings, who removed to Cambridge in 1654, and of Richard Dana, who settled there in 1640, the great-grandson of Daniel Dana and Naomi Croswell, making him a descendant in the fifth generation of John Upham of Weymouth, through his great-great-grandmother, Priscilla Upham.

Sprung thus from a sturdy race of men, the pioneers of the new world, Edmund Winchester seemed to have inherited many of their fine moral traits, their courage, strength of character and energy of purpose. He was a man of liberal views and great natural talent.

His father, a rich farmer of Newton, Mass., died in 1798, leaving the bulk of his property to his two youngest sons, Edmund and Amasa, but the larger portion to the latter, to whom he bequeathed the homestead in Newton, on condition that he should take care of his mother and pay all legacies. Edmund moved to Boston, probably towards the close of the eighteenth century, as among the Boston records we find that his marriage to Prudence Skillings of Boston took place Oct. 16, 1796.

Founder and senior partner of the firm of E. A. and W. Winchester of Boston, wholesale provision merchants and soap manufacturers, contractors for the supplies of the United States Navy for thirty years or more, giving the government credit in 1812, when such credit was most difficult to obtain. They also exported large quantities of their goods to foreign countries and this firm was probably the only house of its kind in New England early in the 19th century. At its dissolution in 1866, it was one of the oldest and heaviest firms in Boston.

Mr. Winchester became a very rich and successful business man. He handled large and important business transactions with the utmost ease. Keen penetration, sound judgment, broad views, combined with absolute integrity and a high sense of honor, won for him the esteem and confidence of his fellowmen. But while amassing wealth, he never seemed actuated by the love of money, but spent his large fortune for the welfare and happiness of others, and the city of his adoption ever found him a most generous and public-spirited citizen. He never sought public life, his preference being for active business, but he was elected a Representative of the Massachusetts State Legislature in 1820, 1821 and 1822. He was also a director of the Merchants Bank of Boston, from 1833 to 1837. (From Franklin Haven, President of Merchants National Bank of Boston in 1900.)

The following anecdote is told of Mr. Winchester: On his arrival in Boston he said he would select for his pastor, his lawyer and his physician, the three most eminent men in their professions in that city. His pastor was the Rev. Thomas

Baldwin, D.D., a noted Baptist divine; his lawyer, the Hon. Theophilus Parsons, afterwards Chief Justice of Massachusetts; and Dr. John M. Warren, his son, Dr. John C. Warren, and later Dr. T. Mason Warren were the only physicians that ever entered Mr. Winchester's home.

Oct. 16, 1796, Edmund Winchester was married by the Rev. Samuel Stillman, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Boston, to Prudence Skillings, daughter of John and Prudence (Clark) Skillings. They were published Sept. 22, 1796. She was born in 1770 and died May 7, 1834. Her husband survived her only a few years, passing away in 1839.

On the records of the Second Baptist Church of Boston, of which Rev. Thomas Baldwin was pastor, is a notice of the death of Prudence Winchester in 1833-4.

Prudence Skillings was admitted as a member of the First Baptist Church of Boston on Aug. 7, 1791, Rev. Dr. Stillman, pastor.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN OF EDMUND AND PRUDENCE (SKILLINGS) WINCHESTER.

1. NANCY WINCHESTER, born July 28, 1798; married Samuel Dana, March 10, 1818; died at Stamford, Conn., Aug. 1, 1862.
2. EDMUND WINCHESTER, died young.
3. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, died young.
4. WILLIAM PARSONS WINCHESTER, born in Boston, Mass., Nov. 9, 1801; married in Boston, Oct. 17, 1822, Eliza Gill Bradlee; died in Watertown, Mass., Aug. 6, 1850. (Took the middle name of "Parsons" by act of Legislature.)
5. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, born in Boston, Mass., Aug. 13, 1805; married Lucinda Stearns; died in Boston, Sept. 10, 1847. Lucinda Stearns was born at Newcastle, Me., May 6, 1807; died in Brookline, Mass., Dec. 4, 1893.
6. JOSEPH CLAY WINCHESTER, born in Boston in 1808; died at Valparaiso, South America, April 30, 1834; unmarried.
7. EDMUND WINCHESTER, born in Boston, Feb. 16, 1811; married in Boston, Nov. 12, 1833, to Harriette Henchman Mears, by the Rev. Baron Stow; died in Boston, Nov. 15, 1845. Harriette Mears was the daughter of Elijah and Catherine Marshall (Raymond) Mears.

SKILLINGS LINEAGE OF PRUDENCE SKILLINGS, WIFE OF EDMUND WINCHESTER, SR.

(*Gen. I*) The first ancestor in this country of the name of Skillings was Thomas Skillings, wife Deborah, an early settler of Gloucester, Mass., where some of his children were born. As early as 1651 he had moved to Falmouth (now Portland, Me.), where he died in 1667. Will dated Nov. 14, 1666; proved Oct. 2, 1667. He had seven children.

(*Gen. II*) His second son, John Skillings, born in Salem, Mass., in 1644, married Elizabeth. He signed the petition of those who could not submit to Sir Ferdinando Gorges, Aug. 1, 1665, together with his father and brother Thomas. (Massachusetts Archives.) He died, probably, 1712-14. He was a prominent man in the early history of Falmouth, where he lived; was in Salem during the first Indian war (1675); returned to Falmouth in 1680. Tradition has it that John Skillings died before he was forty years old, but this is evidently wrong as deeds prove that he lived to be about 67 years old; therefore it is probable that he moved to Piscataqua with his family at the breaking out of the second Indian war, and that he died there.

The following marriages of his children are found on Kittery Records:

Samuel Skillings, born 1677; married, Dec. 25, 1702, Rhoda, daughter of Andrew Haley.

Josiah Skillings, married, May 17, 1708, Elizabeth Lydston.

Rebecca Skillings, married George Frink. (From Maine Recorder.)

Miss Emily Wilder Leavitt, a Boston genealogist, in 1898, carefully examined church records, Maine wills, York deeds, etc., and the story they give seems to show that John Skillings (Thomas[1]) did not die until 1712-14; that he removed with his family to Piscataqua, and that he may have gone to Portsmouth; that his widow and children went to Portsmouth; that his son Samuel returned to Falmouth; his son Josiah went to Kittery and died there; and that John and Elizabeth of Portsmouth, afterwards of Boston, in 1726, can readily have been the John, born in 1675-81, and so the father of John, Simeon

and others of New North Church Records of Boston. John went to Portsmouth, where the North Church Records state: "Elizabeth Skillen, received to full communion July 1, 1713." Also the following children baptized there:

Simeon Skillen, baptized May 13, 1711.
Simeon Skillen, baptized May 27, 1716.
Mary Skillen, baptized Oct. 26, 1718.
Sarah Skillen, baptized Sept. 3, 1721, by Rev. Nathaniel Rogers.

The same children are again found in Boston (Boston Marriages 1700-1751):

Simeon Skillings, married March 15, 1738, Ruth Skillings.
Mary Skillings, married Sept. 25, 1739, Thomas Adams.
Sarah Skillings, married April 19, 1744, Jonathan Crosby.

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH SKILLINGS.

1. JOHN SKILLINGS, born 1675-81; married Elizabeth ———.
2. SAMUEL SKILLINGS, born July 25, 1677 (Maine Recorder, Vol. II, p. 103); married, July 25, 1702, Rhoda Haley.
3. JOSIAH SKILLINGS, married May 17, 1708, Elizabeth Lydston.
4. REBECCA SKILLINGS, married George Frink, probably son of John of Ipswich.

John Skillings[3] (*Thomas*[1], *John*[2]), born 1675-81, is probably the one who, with wife Elizabeth, removed from Portsmouth, N. H., to Boston, and settled there about 1726. According to Sargent's Record (Maine Historical Records, Vol. II) this John Skillings never married, but Rockingham County Deeds, New Hampshire (see Vol. IX, p. 16; Vol. X, p. 296; Vol. XV, p. 88), prove that John Skillings sold his property at Portsmouth, N. H., and two of these deeds have the signature of wife Elizabeth.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH SKILLINGS OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H., AND BOSTON, MASS.

1. ELIZABETH SKILLINGS, married Oct. 27, 1725, Nicholas Lash.
2. MARY SKILLINGS, married Sept. 25, 1739, Thomas Adams.
3. JOHN SKILLINGS, married March 7, 1739, Elizabeth Farmer.
4. SIMEON SKILLINGS, married March 15, 1738, Ruth Phillips.
5. SARAH SKILLINGS, married April 19, 1744, Jonathan Crosby.
6. PETER SKILLINGS, married Dec. 10, 1744, Mary Sergeant.

(Boston Marriages, 1700-1751.)

(*Gen. IV*) John Skillings[4] (*Thomas*[1], *John*[2], *John*[3]) married, March 7, 1738-9, Elizabeth Farmer, born 1718, daughter of Paul and Elizabeth (Hunt) Farmer. He died in Boston, Jan., 1772. (Mass. *Gazette.*)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH (FARMER) SKILLINGS.

1. JOHN SKILLINGS, baptized Oct. 7, 1739.
2. ELIZABETH SKILLINGS, baptized March 24, 1741.
3. HANNAH SKILLINGS, baptized April 3, 1743.
4. SARAH SKILLINGS, baptized Aug. 12, 1744.
5. MARY SKILLINGS, baptized April 12, 1747.
6. MERCY SKILLINGS, baptized June 2, 1748-9.
7. HANNAH SKILLINGS, baptized Nov. 24, 1751.
8. ANN SKILLINGS, baptized June 2, 1754.

(Baptisms, New North Church, Hanover St., Boston.)

(*Gen. V*) John Skillings[5] (*Thomas*[1], *John*[2], *John*[3], *John*[4]), baptized Oct. 7, 1739 (Records Second Church, Boston), son of John, Sr., and Elizabeth (Farmer) Skillings, married (1st) Mary ——, who died Jan. 28, 1763, aged 27 years. (Copp's Hill Epitaphs.) Married (2d), Aug. 18, 1768, by the Rev. Joshua Gee to Prudence Clark, daughter of Joseph Clark, Jr., and Prudence Hill of Cambridge. (Boston City Records.)

In the last edition of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, pp. 147, 152, 173, John Skillings is stated to have been a Captain of the Militia, and died July, 1801, aged 63 years.

In Feb., 1793, land in Boston is deeded by John Skillen and Prudence, his wife. (Suffolk Deeds, Vol. 175, p. 34.)

In the *Columbian Sentinel* we find: "Prudence Skillen, widow of John, died in Boston, Sept. 28, 1807, aged 61, and was buried from the house of her son-in-law Prince Snow, Jr." (From Mr. Henry W. Cunningham of Boston.)

Among the assets of the estate of Prince Snow, Jr., is found a note of E. A. & W. Winchester in 1838.

Boston Town Records—Marriages:

27 March 1739. John Skilling—Elizabeth Farmer.
18 Aug. 1768. John Skilling, Jr.—Prudence Clark.

Extracts from the Records of the Second Church of Boston:

Baptized Sept. 3, 1769, John, son of John and Prudence Skillings.
Baptized Oct. 28, 1770, Prudence, daughter of John and Prudence Skillings.
Baptized Sept. 6, 1772, Elizabeth, daughter of John and Prudence Skillings.
Baptized Feb. 28, 1779, John, son of John and Prudence Skillings.
Admitted to communion Jan. 23, 1774, Mrs. Prudence Skillings.

Prudence Skillings, daughter of John, Jr., and his second wife Prudence Clark, was baptized in Boston, Oct. 28, 1770; died there May 7, 1834; was married, Oct. 16, 1796, to Edmund Winchester, Sr., by Rev. Samuel Stillman, pastor of First Baptist Church, Boston. (First publication of marriage, Sept. 22, 1796.) Prudence Skillings admitted to First Baptist Church of Boston, Aug. 7, 1791.

Among the children of John and Prudence (Clark) Skillings were:

1. Prudence Skillings, baptized 1770; married Edmund Winchester, Sr., in 1796.
2. Elizabeth Skillings, baptized in 1772; married Prince Snow, Jr.
3. Sally Skillings, married William Arnold of Charlestown, Mass., April 26, 1801.

From Mr. Howard Payson Arnold of Boston to Mr. Henry W. Cunningham of Boston:

156 Beacon St., Jan. 2, 1896.

"On the 26th of April, 1801, my grandfather, Wm. Arnold of Charlestown, was married to Miss Sally Skillings of Boston, by Rev. Samuel Stillman. Her name is thus spelt both in the records of marriages in Boston, and in the papers of that date."

The grandmother of Mr. Howard Payson Arnold of Boston was the sister of Prudence Skillings, my grandmother. Her name was Sally Skillings, and she married Mr. Wm. Arnold of Charlestown, Mass., in 1801. The mother of Dr. Caleb H. Snow, who wrote a "History of Boston," was Elizabeth Skillings, baptized in 1772, married Prince Snow, Jr. She was also a sister of Prudence Skillings, the wife of Edmund Winchester, Sr.

1. Thomas and Deborah Skillings.
2. John and Elizabeth Skillings, Portsmouth, N. H.
3. John of Boston, 1726, wife Elizabeth.
4. John and Elizabeth (Farmer) Skillings.
5. John and Prudence (Clark) Skillings.
6. Edmund Winchester, Sr., and Prudence Skillings.

(From Skillings Family, by Wm. B. Lapham, in Maine Historical Recorder, Vol. II.)

CLARK LINEAGE.

John Skillings, Jr., married (2d) to Prudence Clark, Aug. 18, 1768, by Rev. Joshua Gee. (Boston City Records.)

(*Gen. I*) Jonas Clark, the famous Ruling Elder of the Cambridge Church, was here in 1642. Selectman 1679 and 1690. A shipmaster in early life, well skilled in mathematics, having had the command of ships and being appointed, with Samuel Andrews, to take an observation at the northerly bounds of our Patent upon the sea coast, etc. The observation was taken Oct. 13, 1653. Their report is contained in the General Court Records under date of Oct. 18, 1654.

Jonas Clark, ordained Ruling Elder of the church, Nov. 15, 1682, held the office until his death, Jan. 14, 1700, then 80 years old. Married (3) Elizabeth Cook, Aug. 19, 1673.

(*Gen. II*) Their son, Joseph Clark, born May 5, 1679 (Paige's Cambridge), was married by Cotton Mather, April 12, 1713, to Margaret Jarvis, born March 24, 1691; died 1757, the daughter of Elias Jarvis, born Jan. 13, 1663, married Margaret ——, and granddaughter of John Jarvis, who married Rebecca Parkman, Sept. 18, 1661.

Capt. Nathaniel Jarvis, born in Wales, the father of John Jarvis, came to Boston in 1668, perhaps earlier, settled there, and became a prosperous merchant and influential citizen.

(From Descendants of the First Settlers of the Jarvis name in Massachusetts and Long Island, by George A. Jarvis; also, Paige's Cambridge.)

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MARGARET (JARVIS) CLARK.

1. JOSEPH CLARK, born Aug. 26, 1716.
2. MARGARET CLARK, born Aug. 16, 1722.

Joseph Clark, Jr., published his marriage intention in Boston, June 29, 1740, to Prudence Hill of Cambridge, and they were married in 1741, and had children. (Boston Marriage Intentions, p. 235.)

1. JOSEPH CLARK, born Sept. 4, 1742.
2. NATHANIEL CLARK, born Sept. 9, 1744.
3. PRUDENCE CLARK, born Oct. 19, 1746.
4. MARY CLARK, born Aug. 11, 1748.

(Boston City Records and Boston Second Church Records.)

(*Gen. IV*) Their daughter, Prudence Clark, born Oct. 19, 1746, was married Aug. 18, 1768, to John Skillings, Jr., by Rev. Joshua Gee. (Boston City Records.) She was his second wife.

July 12, 1792, the heirs of Jonas Clark, late of Prince St., Boston, divide his estate. Among them: John and Prudence Skillings, Samuel and Joseph Clark. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 175, p. 34.)

Jonas Clark of Boston was probably a grandson of Ruling Elder Jonas Clark of Cambridge, who had sons:

1. JONAS CLARK, born Sept. 4, 1646.
2. SAMUEL CLARK, baptized Nov. 6, 1659.
3. JOSEPH CLARK, born May 5, 1679. (All living in 1705.)

(Paige's Cambridge.)

In 1716 there were living in Boston: Jonas and Grace Clark, Samuel and Patience Clark, Joseph and Margaret Clark.

Ruling Elder Jonas Clark. His son,

Joseph Clark, married Margaret Jarvis. Their son,

Joseph Clark, married Prudence Hill. Their daughter,

Prudence Clark, born Oct. 19, 1746, married Aug. 18, 1768, John Skillings, Jr., Their daughter,

Prudence Skillings, baptized Oct. 28, 1770, married Oct. 16, 1796, to Edmund Winchester, Sr., by the Rev. Samuel Stillman of First Baptist Church of Boston. (City Records of Boston.)

HUNT LINEAGE.

Edmund Winchester, Sr., married Prudence Skillings, Oct. 16, 1796. Daughter of

John Skillings, Jr., married Prudence Clark, Aug. 18, 1768. Son of

John Skillings, Sr., married Elizabeth Farmer, March 27, 1738-9. Daughter of

Paul Farmer, married Elizabeth Hunt. Daughter of

Thomas Hunt, married Judith Torrey of Weymouth, Mass. Son of

Ephraim Hunt and first wife Anna Richards; married previous to 1646. Son of

Enoch Hunt.

Enoch Hunt of Weymouth, a first settler, came in 1635 from Titenden, Bucks County, England; was admitted freeman at Newport, R. I., 1638. In 1647, a deed shows he was in England, and Judge Savage says he died there.

He married first wife in England. Married (2d) in Weymouth, Mass., a daughter of Widow Dorothy Barker. By first wife had Ephraim, born 1610.

At a county court, held at Boston, 18, 9, 1652, power of administration on estate of Enoch Hunt was granted to his son Ephraim.

Ephraim, son of Enoch Hunt of Weymouth, married (1st) Anna, daughter of Thomas and Welthean Richards. She was rich and left large property to her three sons:

1. John Hunt, born 1646; died March 18, 1724.
2. Thomas Hunt, born 1648; died Feb. 11, 1721-2, aged 73 years; married Judith Torrey of Weymouth, Mass. Both Thomas Hunt and his wife Judith were buried at Copps' Hill.

COPPS' HILL EPITAPHS.

No. 555. Thomas Hunt died Feb. 11, 1721-2, aged 73 years, 7 months.

No. 949. "Here lyeth buried ye body of Judith Hunt, ye wife of Thomas Hunt, aged about 38 years, departed this life ye 18th of October 1693, ye daughter of Captain William Torrey of Weymouth."

3. Ephraim Hunt, born 1650; died 1713.

Ephraim Hunt, son of Enoch, married (2d) Ebbett Brinsmead, and had children:

4. William Hunt.
5. Enoch Hunt.
6. Joseph Hunt.

He died Feb. 22, 1686-7. His estate was £502. 1 s. (Hunt Genealogy by T. B. Wyman, Jr., of Boston, 1862-3; also, Old Records of Weymouth.)

RICHARDS LINEAGE.

Thomas Richards, a successful merchant of Weymouth, was born about 1590, and was the first of the name in New England. He is recorded as "a man of note and of standing" in the Mother Country, and one of the prominent ones in the New. He married in England, Welthean, probably Loring. (Boston *Transcript,* Dec. 14, 1898.)

He lived in Dorchester, Mass., from 1630 to 1636, was of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in 1640; freeman in Weymouth, 1640. He died Dec. 17, 1650. His daughter Alice married William Bradford of Plymouth, Mass. His daughter Mary married, Dec. 7, 1641, Thomas Hinckley of Barnstable, afterwards Governor of that colony. His daughter Ann became the wife of Ephraim Hunt previous to 1646, as her eldest son John was born that year. Ann is mentioned in the will of her father in 1650, and in that of her mother in 1679.

Welthean Richards, wife of Thomas, removed to Boston soon after her husband's death, and in her will, made in Boston, in July, 1679, she mentioned as then living, James, John and Ann, wife of Ephraim Hunt. (Richards Genealogy.)

TORREY LINEAGE.

Philip Torrey, son of William Torrey of Combe St. Nicholas, in the County of Somerset, England, died in June, 1557, leaving a will in which he mentions Thomasyne, his wife. Philip,

his son, died in June, 1621, leaving a will dated April 21, 1621. His wife, Alice, also left a will, dated 1634. Both mention their daughters and their four sons, William, James, Philip and Joseph. All four sons emigrated to America in 1640-43. William settled at Weymouth, Mass.; James settled at Scituate, Mass.; Philip settled at Roxbury, Mass.; and Joseph settled at Weymouth, Mass.

Capt. William Torrey was born at Combe St. Nicholas, England, in 1608. Baptized there Dec. 21, 1608. (Church Records.) He married, March 17, 1629, Agnes Combe of Combe St. Nicholas. She died 1630. He was appointed administrator of her estate. He married (2d), the same year, Jane Haviland, daughter of Matthew Haviland. She died in 1639, leaving two sons: Samuel, born in 1632; William, born in 1638. Jane was buried April 27, 1639. He soon married a third wife and came to New England, with his two sons, in 1640. His third wife was probably Elizabeth Frye, said to have been daughter of Edward Frye. (Narragansett Historical Register, p. 249, authority for third marriage.)

Two children came with him from England:

1. Samuel Torrey, born in England, 1632.
2. William Torrey, born in England, 1638.

His children, born in Weymouth, from 1641, were by his third wife:

3. Naomi Torrey, born in Weymouth, Dec. 3, 1641.
4. Mary Torrey, born in Weymouth, Dec., 1642.
5. Micajah Torrey, born in Weymouth, Oct. 12, 1643.
6. Josiah Torrey, born in Weymouth.
7. Judith Torrey, born in Weymouth in 1655; died Oct. 18, 1693. (Copps' Hill Epitaphs.) Married Thomas Hunt, son of Ephraim Hunt.
8. Angel Torrey, born in Weymouth.

William Torrey (from Johnson's Universal Cyclopedia) settled at Weymouth; was Captain of the trainband of the colony; was many years a Representative for Weymouth in the General Court; was usually clerk or secretary of it, and a member of its committees whenever they had to do with education or literature. He died in Weymouth, June 10, 1690.

(A Genealogy of all Torreys in America, by D. Torrey, 1890. From Genealogical Gleanings of H. F. Waters, Vol. I, p. 549.)

HILL LINEAGE.

Abraham Hill (wife Sarah), an early inhabitant of that part of Charlestown now Malden, died at Malden, Feb. 13, 1669-70. Their son,

Jacob Hill of Malden and Cambridge, born March, 1656-7; died Dec. 12, 1690; married Sarah, daughter of Elder John Stone. Their son,

Abraham Hill, born about 1688; died Dec. 27, 1754; married Prudence, daughter of Nathaniel Hancock, Dec. 18, 1718. She died Jan. 16, 1775. Their daughter,

Prudence, born Aug. 13, 1721; married, March 27, 1741, Joseph Clark, Jr., born 1716. Their daughter,

Prudence Clark, born Oct. 19, 1746; married John Skillings, Jr., Aug. 18, 1768; died Sept. 28, 1807. Their daughter,

Prudence Skillings, baptized Oct. 28, 1770; married Oct. 16, 1796, Edmund Winchester, Sr.

(Paige's Cambridge, p. 581, for Hill Lineage.)

STONE LINEAGE.

Sarah Stone, wife of Jacob Hill, was the daughter of Elder John Stone and wife Anne.

Elder John Stone, son of Gregory Stone and wife Lydia, born in England about 1619, settled in that part of Sudbury, afterwards Framingham, Mass.; was a Deacon of the church at Sudbury; returned to Cambridge and was Representative, 1682, 1683. Ruling Elder of the church at Cambridge, ordained Nov. 15, 1682. He died May 5, 1683, aged 64. (Paige's History of Cambridge, p. 664.)

Gregory Stone, Cambridge, Mass. Was here as early as 1637; about 1638 purchased a house and five acres on Garden Street in Cambridge. He acquired by gift and purchase large tracts of land at the Farms. He was Representative from Cam-

bridge in 1638, a Deacon, and died Nov., 1672, aged 80. Wife Lydia died June 24, 1674. (Paige's Cambridge.)

From Parish Register of Much Bromley, or as it is now called, Great Bromley, Essex Co., England, among baptisms: "1592, 19 Ap. Gregorie Stone, son of David Stone." (English Ancestry of Simon and Gregory Stone, by Wm. E. Stone, 1897.)

THE ENGLISH ANCESTRY OF SIMON AND GREGORY STONE.

By William E. Stone, Cambridge, Mass, 1897.

A copy of the will of Simon Stone is published in the N. E. Genealogical Register, Vol. III, p. 182, and the Middlesex Probate Records state that the will was "exhibited on oath as the last will of the said Simon Stone by his brother Gregory Stone and Steeven Day." Here we have positive proof of the relationship between Simon and Gregory.

Gregory Stone came to New England about the same time as Simon,—the exact date has not been discovered. His name is on the list of townsmen of Watertown, Feb. 28, 1636-7, but he finally settled at Cambridge, Mass. He and Simon appeared together and took the freeman's oath, May 25, 1636. He lived in Cambridge only a little more than a mile distant from his brother Simon, whose estate in Watertown was just on the boundary line between Watertown and Cambridge. Rev. Jonathan Mitchell's list of the original members of the church of Cambridge gives Gregory Stone's family as follows: "Gregory Stone, Deacon of this church, and Lydia, his wife. Children: John, Daniel, David, Elizabeth, Samuel and Sarah. Also John Cooper, son of the aforesaid Lydia, and Lydia Fiske, her daughter." Lydia was the widow of Cooper when Gregory Stone married her. Gregory Stone died at Cambridge, Nov. 30, 1672, aged 80 years.

Mr. Somerby found, on examining the Parish Register of Nayland, Suffolk Co., England, that Gregory Stone had been a resident of that place before coming to New England.

Nayland, Suffolk Co., on the river Stour, is only three miles distant from Boxted, in Essex, where Simon Stone in 1630 was taxed for land.

Extracts from the Parish Register of Nayland, taken in 1892:

1617—Julie—the 20 daie were mar Gregory Stonne and Margaret Garrad.
1618—July—The last daie was bapt. John, sonne of Gregory Stonne.
1620—August—The 15 day was bap. Daniel ye sonne of Gregory Stone.
1622—Septem: 22 was bapt. David ye sonne of Gregorie Stone.
1624—October. 3 was bap. Elizabeth, the daughter of Gregory Stone.
1626—Aug: 4 was buryed Margrett, the wife of Gregory Stone.
1626—Aug: 6 was buryed Elizabeth the daughter of Gregory Stone.
1628—March 6, was bap. Elizabethe the dau. of Gregorie Stone.
1630—February 4, daie was bapt. Samuell sonne of Gregory Stone.
1632—Feby. 8, was bapt. Sarah daughter of Gregory Stonne.

From researches by William E. Stone of Cambridge, Mass., in 1897, and more recent ones by members of the Stone Association in 1907, the following facts:

There can be no doubt that Gregory Stone of Nayland, Suffolk County, England, and Gregory Stone of Cambridge, Mass., are the same. The Nayland Register shows that Gregory Stone was married twice; that his first wife, Margaret Garrad, was the mother of his first three children, John, Daniel and David; and the mother of the other three, Elizabeth, Samuel and Sarah, was his second wife, whom we know to have been the widow Lydia Cooper. Simon and Gregory Stone have both been located in England, not long before they came to this country, Simon at Boxted in Essex, and Gregory at Nayland in Suffolk; but both, it is evident, were born elsewhere and Emma M. Walford, the well-known genealogist of London, found the records of their baptisms on the Parish Registers of Much Bromley. Much Bromley, now called Great Bromley, Essex County, England, is only about nine or ten miles from Boxted and Nayland.

From Registers of Baptisms, 1559-1660 inclusive:

1585-6. 9 Feb. Simond, son of Davie Stone & Ursly his wife.
1592. 19 Ap. Gregorie Stone, son of David Stone.

Marriages, 1559-1660 inclusive:

1616. 5 Aug. Symond Stone & Joan Clarke were married.

Here we have the baptism of Simon Stone, Feb. 9, 1585-6. We know that his wife's maiden name was Joan Clarke, and we have here the marriage of Simon Stone and Joan Clarke, Aug. 5, 1616. As to Gregory, his baptism, April 19, 1592, agrees with his age as given by Savage, who says he was eighty years old when he died in 1672.

From later researches in 1907: Simon Stone of Watertown and Gregory Stone of Cambridge, the original emigrants, were born in Much Bromley, now Great Bromley, Essex County, England, and their ancestry has been traced beyond reasonable doubt to Symond Stone of Much Bromley, who died in 1510. Symond Stone of Much Bromley owned a property called "Walles," situated in Ardleigh, which he bequeathed to his second son, Walter Stone. Ardleigh and Much Bromley are adjoining parishes and their churches are only three miles apart. There can be no doubt that the Stones mentioned in the Court Rolls of Ardleigh are of the same family from which Simon and Gregory Stone, the emigrants, descended. The will of Symond Stone of Much Bromley, dated May 12, 1506, probated Feb. 10, 1510, names four sons, David, Walter, Myhyll (i. e., Miles), and William.

The line of descent is supposed to be:

Symond Stone of Much Bromley.

David Stone of Much Bromley.

Symond Stone of Much Bromley.

David Stone of Much Bromley.

Simon and Gregory Stone, the emigrants.

As Walter Stone inherited an estate in Ardleigh, his sons, if he had any, would naturally be residents of Ardleigh, rather than of Great Bromley. Of Myhyll, the third son, not the slightest mention has been found, either in the Essex Wills or in the Parish Registers, and it is quite probable that he died unmarried. William Stone, the youngest son, had only one son, named William. It seems, therefore, fair to assume that Symond Stone[3] of Much Bromley, who is known to be the father of David Stone[4], who was the father of Simon Stone[5] and Gregory Stone[5], the emigrants, was the son of Symond Stone's[1] eldest son, David Stone[2].

HANCOCK, RUSSELL AND PRENTICE LINEAGES.

Prudence Skillings married Edmund Winchester.

John Skillings, Jr., married Prudence Clark.

Joseph Clark married Prudence Hill, March 27, 1741.

Abraham Hill married Prudence Hancock, Dec. 18, 1718.

Prudence Hancock, daughter of Nathaniel Hancock and Prudence Russell, baptized Dec. 27, 1696; died Jan. 16, 1775; married Abraham Hill, Dec. 18, 1718.

Nathaniel Hancock, Cambridge, Mass. Born in Cambridge, Oct. 29, 1668, son of Nathaniel and Mary (Prentice) Hancock. He died in Cambridge, May 10, 1755. His wife, Prudence Russell, born about 1670, died July 15, 1742. (History of Cambridge, by Lucius R. Paige, p. 572.)

Prudence Russell was the daughter of Joseph Russell, the son of William and Martha Russell of Cambridge, Mass. Joseph Russell married, June 23, 1662, Mary Belcher.

Mary Prentice married Nathaniel Hancock, March 8, 1663-4. She was born Nov. 25, 1644, daughter of Henry Prentice and second wife, Joanna.

Henry Prentice, an early emigrant to New England, was a proprietor of Sudbury, but settled in Cambridge before 1643. His first wife, Elizabeth, died in Cambridge, May 13, 1643. He died June 9, 1654. (Paige's Cambridge.)

PART FIRST

CHAPTER VI

Nancy Winchester Dana.
Samuel Dana.
Lineage of Nancy Winchester Dana from Daniel Dana.
Lineage of Samuel Dana from Capt. Benjamin Dana.
Edmund Winchester Dana.
Stephen Winchester Dana.
Anna Winchester Dana.
William Winchester Dana.
Marian Caroline (Dana) Noble of London, England.
Lillian Georgette Noble.
Marian Murray Noble.
Evelyn Violet Noble.
Nadine Gwendoline Noble.
Anna Georgette (Dana) Bérard of Paris, France.
Roger Philippe Bérard.
Maurice Robert Bérard.
Philippe Raymond Bérard.
Robert Washington Dana.
Eliza Bradlee (Winchester) Dana.
Washington Murray.
Col. Osmun Latrobe.
Major Samuel Dana.
Elise Winchester (Dana) Frick.
George Murray Dana.

Mrs. Samuel Dana.

From a crayon by Wm. P. W. Dana.

CHAPTER VI

FAMILY OF NANCY WINCHESTER, WIFE OF SAMUEL DANA.

Nancy Winchester, eldest child and only daughter of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester, born July 28, 1798; was married to her cousin, Samuel Dana, March 10, 1818, by the Rev. Thomas Baldwin, D.D., pastor of Second Baptist Church of Boston. They were published Feb. 18, 1818. (Books of Publishments and Marriages in the City Hall of Boston, Mass.)

Mrs. Samuel Dana, a handsome, stately woman, was a person of strong character, religious, benevolent and truly generous. She was much loved by all who knew her, a devoted friend and faithful in heart and purse to any who had a claim upon her, through kindred or friendship. She lived in Boston, but after the marriage of her youngest daughter to Washington Murray of New York, in 1856, she, with her eldest daughter Anna, moved to New York.

She died at Stamford, Conn., where she was spending the summer, Aug. 1, 1862, aged 64, and was buried at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

From Henry Winchester Cunningham:

Boston, Nov. 18, 1896.

My mother has kept a Diary for nearly fifty years without a break, and in it is the entry, under the year July or August, 1862: "Aunt Dana, widow of Samuel Dana of Boston, died at Stamford, aged 64, so she must have been born in the year 1798."

Samuel Dana[6] (*Richard*[1], *Benjamin*[2], *Benjamin*[3], *John*[4], *Nathan*[5]), son of the Rev. Nathan Dana and his first wife, Beulah Winchester, born in Pittsford, Vt., Dec. 23, 1788; died in Boston, Mass., Nov. 17, 1854, aged 66; buried at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

He was a man of sterling character, fine intellect, and well-balanced mind. He founded and was senior partner of the banking house of Dana, Fenno & Henshaw, this firm dating from about 1815. They were the leading bankers in New England for about a quarter of a century, their offices being on the corner of State and Congress streets. This firm was largely interested in government loans in the forties, and Sir Samuel Cunard, of the Cunard line of steamships, kept his accounts with them for seventeen years. Mr. Dana retired from active business about 1843. After that period, though a director in railroads, etc., he occupied himself chiefly with the care of his property, and found great pleasure in devoting his leisure to the study of the higher mathematics, his favorite pursuit.

Mr. Dana was Treasurer and his brother-in-law, Col. Wm. P. Winchester, a Director of the Boston Exchange Company at the time the merchants of Boston determined to erect a fine new building for an exchange. The corner-stone of this edifice on State Street was laid on Aug. 2, 1842, by Mr. Thomas Handasyde Perkins.

Through the marriage of Samuel Dana and Nancy Winchester were united the two Dana lines of Benjamin and Daniel, sons of Richard Dana, Daniel being the lineal ancestor of Nancy Winchester, and Benjamin the lineal ancestor of her husband, Samuel Dana.

1. Richard Dana married Ann Bullard, 1640. Their son,
2. Benjamin Dana, born Feb. 20, 1661-2; married Mary Buckminster, 1688. Their son,
3. Capt. Benjamin Dana, born April 28, 1689; married Anne Francis, 1724. Their son,
4. John Dana, born July 10, 1725; married Abigail Smith, 1748. Their son,
5. Rev. Nathan Dana, born Jan. 6, 1758; married (1) Beulah Winchester, 1782. Their son,
6. Samuel Dana, born Dec. 23, 1788; married Nancy Winchester, March 10, 1818.

1. Richard Dana married Ann Bullard, 1640. Their son,
2. Daniel Dana, born March 20, 1663-4; married Naomi Croswell. Their daughter,
3. Hepsibah Dana, baptized Oct. 24, 1714; married Samuel Hastings, May 8, 1735. Their daughter,
4. Hannah Hastings, born 1740; married Stephen Winchester, Jr., 1764. Their son,
5. Edmund Winchester, Sr., born 1772; married Prudence Skillings, Oct. 6, 1796. Their daughter,
6. Nancy Winchester, born July 28, 1798; married Samuel Dana, March 10, 1818.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN OF SAMUEL AND NANCY (WINCHESTER) DANA.

1. EDMUND WINCHESTER DANA, born in Boston, June 1, 1820; died at Fairfield, Conn., Jan. 17, 1901; buried at Mt. Auburn, Mass., in his mother's tomb. Unmarried.
2. STEPHEN WINCHESTER DANA, born in Boston, April 19, 1823; died in Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 8, 1883; married Mary W. Roberts of Philadelphia, Pa., June 8, 1778.
3. MARY ANN DANA, born May 7, 1825; died April 13, 1826.
4. FREDERICK LINCOLN DANA, born Feb. 7, 1827; died at West Cornwall, Conn., March 31, 1889; buried in his mother's tomb at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass. Unmarried.
5. ANNA MARIA WINCHESTER DANA, born in Boston, March 14, 1829; died in New York, Jan. 22, 1873; buried at Mt. Auburn, Mass. Unmarried.
6. WILLIAM WARD DANA, born in Boston, March 8, 1831; died April 22, 1832.
7. WILLIAM P. WINCHESTER DANA, born in Boston, Feb. 18, 1833; married in Paris, France, Dec. 27, 1855, to Anna Bronson Murray, daughter of Col. James B. and Maria (Bronson) Murray of New York.
8. ELIZA BRADLEE WINCHESTER DANA, born in Boston, Sept. 19, 1835; married (1), April 23, 1856, Washington Murray of New York; married (2), at St. George's Church, London, England, July, 1871, to Col. Osmun Latrobe of Baltimore, Md.
9. SAMUEL DANA, born in Boston, Nov. 4, 1838; died at San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 27, 1870; married, at Augusta, Me., Sept. 17, 1863, to Abbie Emery Rice, daughter of Judge Richard D. and Almira (Emery) Rice.

(*Gen. VII*) EDMUND WINCHESTER DANA, eldest son of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana, was born in Boston, Mass., June 1, 1820; lived there and in New York, but late in life made Fairfield, Conn., his home. Mr. Dana began life as a banker and shipper; afterwards was in active business for many years, but retired about thirty-five years ago (1901). He was quite prominent socially. He never married.

Quite late in life Mr. Dana joined the Episcopal Church, and was baptized at Fairfield, Conn., April 27, 1895, by Rev. W. Strother Jones, Rector; confirmed in St. Paul's Church, Fairfield, Conn., Sunday, April 28, 1895, by Rt. Rev. John Williams, Bishop of Connecticut. (From Church Records, Allen E. Beeman, Rector, Fairfield, Jan. 19, 1901.)

Edmund Dana died of grippe at Fairfield, Conn., Jan. 17, 1901, after a short illness, in his eighty-first year. His funeral took place in St. Paul's Church, Fairfield, Conn., and Jan. 19th he was buried at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass. Col. Osmun Latrobe, his brother-in-law, and his cousins, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss and Miss Charlotte Winchester of New Haven, Conn., were the only members of his family present at his funeral.

(*Gen. VII*) Stephen Winchester Dana, son of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana. A broker. Born in Boston, Mass., April 19, 1823. Died in Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 8, 1883.

Will of Stephen W. Dana, Philadelphia, Gentleman. Wife, Mary W. Dana. Philadelphia Trust and Safe Deposit Co., executor. Dated Oct. 26, 1881; proved Jan. 17, 1883. (Philadelphia Wills, Book 106, p. 564.)

He was married to Mary W. Roberts, in Philadelphia, June 8, 1878, by the Rev. C. George Currie of the Episcopal Church. (Marriage Book 1878, p. 55, Philadelphia, Pa.)

Mary W. Roberts was born in Philadelphia in 1843. She married (2d) the Marquis d'Eskins, a Belgian. They were married in Paris, France, about 1890.

(*Gen. VII*) Anna Winchester Dana, born in Boston, Mass., March 14, 1829; died in New York City, Jan. 22, 1873, of pneumonia. She was the eldest daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana of Boston. A very superior woman, of fine intellect, excellent judgment and attractive manners. Her early life was spent in Boston, but after the marriage of her sister Eliza to Washington Murray, in 1856, she and her mother made New York their home. She never married.

(*Gen. VII*) William P. Winchester Dana, son of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana, was born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 18, 1833. An artist. Member of the National Academy of New York. He married, Dec. 27, 1855, Anna Bronson Murray, daughter of Col. James B. and Maria (Bronson) Murray, both of New York. Their marriage took place in

Paris, France, where their eldest child, Marian Caroline, was born in 1857. They lived in Paris for many years, but their eldest daughter having married Wilson Noble of London, and their son having entered Cambridge University (where he graduated in 1890), Mr. and Mrs. Dana moved to London, which has been their home ever since. (1911.)

From "Artists of the Nineteenth Century":

"William P. W. Dana, born in Boston, 1833. His fondness for the sea and ships was manifested at an early age, and he made several voyages, before he decided to study art. In 1852 he went to Europe and became a pupil of Picot and of Le Poitevin, and a student in l'École des Beaux-Arts in Paris,—spending his summers in sketching tours in Normandy and Brittany. He returned to America in 1862 . . . and in 1863 was made a member of the Academy of Design. He has been happy in his pictures of children, horses, and dogs, and has painted some successful portraits in later years, although his earlier works, following the natural taste of his youth for the sea, were marine views."

From Jarves' Art Idea:

"Dana is full of talent. He colors attractively, although not always harmoniously, as is shown by his most ambitious picture 'Heart's-Ease,' which neither in taste nor treatment is equal to his less pretending works. The motives of his composition are among the most charming of genre painting."

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF WILLIAM P. WINCHESTER AND ANNA BRONSON (MURRAY) DANA.

1. MARIAN CAROLINE DANA, born in 1857, in Paris, France.
2. WILLIAM STEPHEN DANA, born Jan., 1861, in Paris, France; died Sept., 1864, in New York, and was laid in the Dana tomb at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.
3. ANNA GEORGETTE DANA, born in 1862, in New York.
4. ROBERT WASHINGTON DANA, born in 1868, in Newport, R. I.; married April 21, 1900, at Pau, France, to Anna Kane, daughter of Mrs. William H. Kane.

(*Gen. VIII*) Marian Caroline Dana, eldest daughter of William P. Winchester and Anna Bronson (Murray) Dana, was born in Paris, France, in 1857. She married, in Paris, in 1879, Wilson Noble of London, England, a member of Parliament since 1886. (1900.)

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN OF WILSON AND MARIAN CAROLINE (DANA) NOBLE.

1. LILIAN GEORGETTE NOBLE, born in 1881, in London.
2. MARIAN MURRAY NOBLE, born in 1883, in London.
3. EVELYN VIOLET NOBLE, born in 1886, at St. Leonard's.
4. NADINE GWENDOLINE NOBLE, born in 1891, in London.

(*Gen. VIII*) Anna Georgette Dana, third child of William P. Winchester and Anna Bronson (Murray) Dana, was born in New York in 1862. She was married, in Paris, France, in 1887, to Philippe Bérard, Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, First Secretary of Embassy, and at Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Paris. Philippe Bérard died at his home near Paris, France, July, 1911.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN OF PHILIPPE AND ANNA GEORGETTE (DANA) BÉRARD.

1. ROGER PHILIPPE BÉRARD, born in 1889, in Paris.
2. MAURICE ROBERT BÉRARD, born in 1891, in Paris.
3. PHILIPPE RAYMOND BÉRARD, born in 1893, in England.

(*Gen. VIII*) Robert Washington Dana, second son of William P. Winchester and Anna Bronson (Murray) Dana, was born in Newport, R. I., in 1868; educated in Paris and at Cambridge, England, where he graduated with honors in 1890; a civil engineer. He was married in St. Andrew's Church, Pau, France, by the Rev. R. Acland Troyte, to Anna Kane, daughter of Mrs. William H. Kane, April 21, 1900. A large reception followed at the Villa Cornelia.

(*Gen. VII*) Eliza Bradlee Winchester Dana, youngest daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana, was born in Boston, Mass., September 19, 1835. Though her home was in Boston, and she spent her girlhood there, she was sent to Pelham Priory, a fine school at New Rochelle, N. Y., where she made many warm and lasting friendships. She was a great beauty and very much admired, but singularly free from vanity and a woman of rare truthfulness and sincerity of character and a faithful friend. She was married (1st) at her home in

Boston by the Rev. Bishop Eastburn, April 23, 1856, to Washington Murray of New York, youngest son of Col. James B. and Maria (Bronson) Murray, both of New York. Washington Murray, a fine lawyer, was born in New York, July 7, 1828, and died there Sept. 19, 1867. He was buried in the tomb of Mrs. Samuel Dana at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

Washington Murray was born in the city of New York July 7, 1828, the youngest son of Col. James B. and Maria (Bronson) Murray, both of New York. After graduation (at Yale College in the class of 1849) he studied law at the Harvard Law School for two years. He received the degree of Bachelor of Laws there in July, 1851, and studied law in New York during that same year; 1852 he spent at the South, and in February, 1853, he began the practice of law in New York, and continued his professional work there until his death. In 1864 he was a member of the New York City Board of Education. He died in New York September 19, 1867. He married Miss Eliza Bradlee Winchester Dana of Boston, Mass., April 23, 1656. They had no children. (From Yale University Class Book.)

Washington Murray was one of the founders of the American College Fraternity of Alpha Sigma Phi of Yale College in December, 1845. His name stands among the fourteen founders of this society as "Brother Washington Murray." The above society was revived at Yale University in 1907.

Mrs. Washington Murray lived for several years in New York after the death of her husband; in 1871 she went abroad with her sister, Anna Dana. They went to London, and there Mrs. Murray and her friend, Col. Osmun Latrobe of Baltimore, were married in July, 1871, at St. George's Church, London, England. Miss Dana returned to America in 1872 and died in New York, Jan. 22, 1873. After a long visit in 1874-5 from Mrs. Latrobe's old friend, Miss Catherine Mears of Boston, Col. and Mrs. Osmun Latrobe returned to the United States with Miss Mears in April, 1875, and decided to make Baltimore their home.

LATROBE LINEAGE.

Col. Osmun Latrobe, born April 12, 1835, was the son of John Hazlehurst Boneval Latrobe by his second wife, Charlotte Virginia Claiborne, who was the daughter of Gen. Ferdinand Leigh Claiborne of Natchez, Miss. He practiced law until the breaking out of the war in 1861, then joined the Confederate Army as a volunteer aide, on the staff of Major-Gen. Jones, commanding a division of the army at Manassas. He took part in all the battles of the Army of Northern Virginia (army of Gen. Robert E. Lee) and after the death of Gen. Jones joined, in 1862, the staff of Gen. Longstreet, who commanded the 1st Corps of the Army of Northern Virginia. Col. Latrobe eventually became the Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff of the Corps. Besides all the Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania campaigns, this corps fought at Chickamauga, and made the East Tennessee and Suffolk campaigns. After the surrender at Appomattox, Col. Latrobe went to Europe and became engaged with the Messrs. Winans in their Russian railway concerns, etc. (The above facts given to Mrs. Hotchkiss by Col. Latrobe, at her request.)

Col. Osmun Latrobe is the son of John Hazlehurst Boneval Latrobe, a distinguished lawyer, the grandson of Benjamin Henry Latrobe, born in Yorkshire, England, May 1, 1764, came to the United States, reaching Norfolk, Va., May 20, 1796. He was a prominent architect.

(*Gen. VII*) Samuel Dana, youngest child of Samuel and Nancy (Winchester) Dana, born in Boston, Mass., Nov. 4, 1838; died in San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 27, 1870.

The following from Col. George E. Glenn, Paymaster U. S. A., stationed March, 1898, at Governor's Island, N. Y.:

"Major Samuel Dana, paymaster Regular Army; died at San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 27, 1870. Military history: Corporal 7th N. Y. Militia, April 26 to June 3, 1861. Captain, 17th Reg. Infantry, Aug. 5, 1861. Major and Paymaster, March 7, 1867."

During the summer of 1863 Capt. Samuel Dana was wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, and returned home Sept. 17, 1863.

Mrs. Osmun Latrobe.

Née Miss Eliza Bradlee Winchester Dana.

Major Samuel Dana, U. S. A.

About 1862.

Mrs. James Swan Frick of Baltimore, Md.

Née Elise Winchester Dana.

1892.

He married Abbie Emery Rice of Augusta, Me., that same year. Notice of marriage:

At Augusta, Me., 17th inst., at St. Mark's Church, by Rev. M. Gierlow, assisted by Rev. Mr. Armitage, Capt. Samuel Dana, U. S. A., to Miss A. E. Rice, daughter of Hon. Richard D. Rice of Augusta, Me.

Capt. Samuel Dana, not having fully recovered from the wounds received at Gettysburg, was obliged to be married on crutches. A party of friends, comprising his sister, Mrs. Washington Murray and her husband from New York, his sister, Miss Anna W. Dana, his brother, Stephen W. Dana, his cousin, Miss Fanny Winchester, with her aunt, Miss Catherine Mears of Boston, a very old friend of his mother, went on to the wedding, and were delightfully entertained by Judge and Mrs. Rice at their hospitable mansion.

In 1866 Capt. Dana was stationed at Washington, D. C. In 1867, as Major Dana, he went to San Francisco, Cal., as Paymaster of the U. S. A., taking his family with him, and there he and his wife both died, leaving two young children to the care of their grandparents Rice of Augusta, Me.

Abbie Emery Rice, daughter of Judge Richard Drury and Almira (Emery) Rice, was born in Augusta, Me., May 18, 1842; married Capt. Samuel Dana, Sept. 17, 1863; died at San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 12, 1868.

Judge Richard Drury Rice was born in Union, Me. He married Almira Emery.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF MAJ. SAMUEL AND ABBIE EMERY (RICE) DANA.

1. ELISE WINCHESTER DANA, born July 5, 1864, in Augusta, Me.; married June 22, 1886, in Augusta, Me., to James Swan Frick of Baltimore, Md., by Rev. Walker Gwynne, assisted by Bishop Neely. James Swan Frick, born Nov. 30, 1848, is the son of William Frederick and Anna Elizabeth (Swan) Frick, granddaughter of General John Swan, the grandson of Judge Frick of Baltimore, Md. James Swan Frick is a lawyer, but does not practice.
2. GEORGE MURRAY DANA, born Nov. 10, 1867, in San Francisco, Cal.; baptized July 7, 1868, by Rev. Mr. Upjohn, at Augusta, Me.; died July 25, 1885, in London, England.

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CHAPTER VII

Col. William P. Winchester.

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Ellen Austin Owen.

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Augustus Frederic Austin.

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Thomas Bradlee Winchester.

Eliza Bradlee Winchester.

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Frederic Calvert Heighe, Jr., of Baltimore, Md.

Lisa Winchester Heighe.

Ellen Homer Winchester.

William F. Weld of Boston and Brookline, Mass.

Col. William P. Winchester.

From a Painting as Colonel of Cadets of Boston, Mass.

CHAPTER VII

FAMILY OF COL. WILLIAM P. WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) WILLIAM P. WINCHESTER[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5]), eldest son of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester, born Nov. 9, 1801; married, Oct. 17, 1822, by the Rev. N. L. Frothingham to ELIZA GILL BRADLEE, daughter of Thomas Downs and Mary (Perry) Bradlee. She was born in Boston, Dec. 24, 1802; died there Sept. 26, 1890. He died at Watertown, Mass., Aug. 6, 1850, of typhoid fever.

He took the middle name of Parsons by act of Legislature, as there was another William Winchester in Boston at that time.

Act of Massachusetts Legislature, Feb. 8, 1823:

"That William Winchester, son of Edmund Winchester, may take the name of William Parsons Winchester," all of Boston, etc.

Col. William P. Winchester was a prominent merchant, well known in Boston for his business ability and public spirit, also for his excellent judgment and great foresight in mercantile affairs. His untiring industry, firmness and self-reliance enabled him for many years to carry on with great success a large and important business, and at his death in 1850 he was one of the wealthiest men in Boston, his estate being valued at upwards of half a million dollars, a large fortune for that period. He possessed more than a common share of natural shrewdness, and had he desired, might have sought an official or political career, but Mr. Winchester's mind was thoroughly well balanced; he probably did not consider himself fitted for public life and had no inclination and too much integrity to employ his wealth for the purchase of political favor. Whatever honors were bestowed upon him, came to him entirely unsought. He was an accomplished scholar in French, Spanish and Italian,

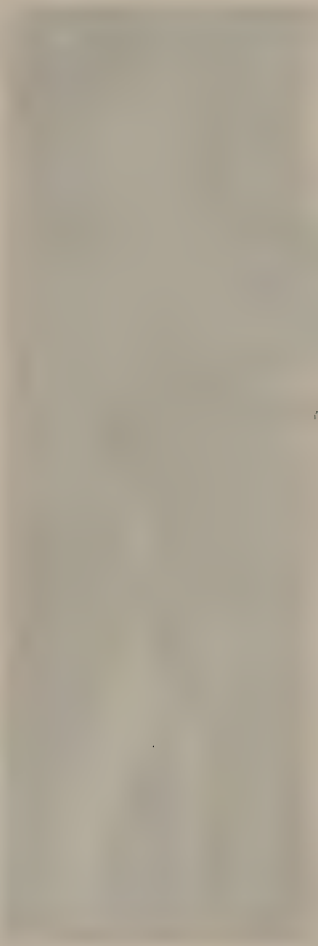
was also a discriminating judge and a liberal patron of the fine arts, enthusiastically fond of music, to which he gave munificent support, while his love for painting showed itself in the fine pictures he sent home from Spain when there in 1843.

Unbounded in hospitality, he entertained in magnificent style. He was a warm-hearted, open-handed gentleman, generous and exceedingly popular. He was extremely fond of yachting, owned *The Northern Light*, a boat built for him and considered one of the fastest and most famous yachts of his day. He was also for several years Colonel of the Independent Company of Cadets, a famous Boston corps, and very popular among its members.

About 1848-9, Col. Winchester built a fine summer residence at Watertown, Mass., surrounded by beautiful grounds, which extended to the Charles River, so that he could sail, with his yacht, to his own home. This lovely residence was thrown open to his friends the summer of 1850, when he gave a superb entertainment, which, however, proved to be his last hospitable act. He was soon afterwards prostrated by typhoid fever, of which he died at his Watertown home in August, 1850. He was buried at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass. Col. Winchester was a member of the old Temple Club of Boston. He was also one of the directors of the Boston Exchange Company, and was elected a director of the Merchants Bank of Boston (now Merchants National Bank), Oct. 2, 1837. The directors' records of 1853 contain the following: "Colonel W. P. Winchester was a valued director for thirteen years." (From Franklin Haven, Esq., president of the bank in 1900.)

The town of Winchester, in Massachusetts, was named for him in 1850, a short time previous to his death. In recognition of this wholly unsolicited honor, Col. Winchester sent the town three thousand dollars for a town hall.

Mrs. William P. Winchester, his widow, survived her husband forty years, and was a remarkable example of vigorous old age, taking an active interest in the affairs of the world about her when over eighty years old. She was the daughter of Thomas Downs and Mary (Perry) Bradlee, and a great heiress,



Fern Hill, Watertown, Mass.

The Country Seat of Col. William P. Winchester.

Built in 1849.

being an only child. She was born in Boston, Dec. 24, 1802, and died of apoplexy at her home on Beacon Street, Sept. 26, 1890.

From the Annual Report of the Town of Winchester, Mass.:

"The bust of Col. William P. Winchester (presented to the Town of Winchester by his children) was brought to the Town Hall and placed on a pedestal Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1891. It was received by the Selectmen of the Town from Mr. Wells, representing the Winchester family."

There is a portrait in the Cadet Armory of Col. William P. Winchester, Lieut.-Colonel Comdy. 1st Corps Cadets, Mass. Vol. Militia, Boston, 1843. It was painted by W. W. Churchill and presented to the Cadets by Thomas Bradlee Winchester in 1896.

BRADLEY LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) Nathan (or Nathaniel) Bradley, Dorchester, Mass., born 1631; married, May 17, 1666, Mary Evans, daughter of Richard Evans, who took the freeman's oath in Dorchester, May 10, 1642. (History of Dorchester, Mass.) She was born Nov. 9, 1640. He died July 26, 1701, aged 70. His eldest son,

Nathan Bradley, born March 12, 1674-5, married (1st), Jan. 2, 1695-6, by Rev. Mr. Danforth, to Ruth Hause; married (2d), in 1702, Lydia ——. He was drowned Dec. 13, 1750, aged 75. By his first wife, Ruth, who died March 25, 1701, he had Mary, born Dec. 2, 1700. By second wife, Lydia, who died March 28, 1752, he had nine children. His third child,

Samuel Bradlee, born Oct. 5, 1707; married, about 1730, Mary Andrus; she died May 20, 1796. He died July 7, 1768, aged 62 years. Samuel is the first one who spelled his name "Bradlee." He moved to Boston, but was buried in the old Dorchester burying ground. Samuel and Mary (Andrus) Bradlee had twelve children. Their eldest son,

Samuel Bradlee, born Aug. 15, 1731; married Agnes Love; died Jan. 20, 1770, aged 39. Their son,

Thomas Downs Bradlee, married Mary Perry. Their daughter,

Eliza Gill Bradlee, born Dec. 24, 1802, married Col. William P. Winchester in 1822.

Eliza Gill Bradlee married Col. William P. Winchester. Daughter of

Thomas Downs Bradlee and Mary Perry. Son. of
Samuel Bradlee and Agnes Love. Son of
Samuel Bradlee and Mary Andrus. Son of
Nathan Bradley and Lydia ——. Son of
Nathan (or Nathaniel) Bradley and May Evans.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN OF WILLIAM P. AND ELIZA GILL (BRADLEE) WINCHESTER.

1. Mary Bradlee Winchester, born Aug. 14, 1823, in Boston, Mass.; married March 22, 1843, George Inman Cunningham; died March 12, 1899.
2. Thomas Downs Bradlee Winchester, born Aug. 13, 1825; died about 1832.
3. William Parsons Winchester, Jr., born Dec. 7, 1827, in Boston; married in France; died March 8, 1882, in Brussels, Belgium. Left no children.
4. Eliza Gill Bradlee Winchester, born May 19, 1830, in Boston; married Nov. 16, 1848, Henry Schroeder Taylor of Baltimore; died April 28, 1896, in Baltimore, Md.
5. Emily Ann Bradlee Winchester, born Dec. 9, 1832, in Boston; married Feb. 2, 1853, John Owen of Montreal, Canada. She died May 31, 1910.
6. Ellen Louisa Bradlee Winchester, born Feb. 6, 1835, in Boston; married, Oct. 25, 1853, Wyndham Bruce Austin of Montreal, Canada.
7. Thomas Bradlee Winchester, born Aug. 25, 1837, in Boston; married Sept. 9, 1857, Ellen Doane Manson. He died at his home, 138 Beacon Street, Boston, March 3, 1904. She died there July 4, 1901.

FAMILY OF GEORGE INMAN AND MARY (WINCHESTER) CUNNINGHAM.

(*Gen. VII*) Mary Bradlee Winchester, daughter of William P. and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, born in Boston, Aug. 14, 1823; married, March 22, 1843, George Inman Cunningham of Boston, son of Joseph Lewis Cunningham of Boston, grandson of Joseph Lewis Cunningham, who was Lieu-

Thomas Bradlee Winchester.

Of Boston, Mass.

About 1900 to 1903.

tenant of the Minute Men at the battle of Lexington. She died in Boston, March 12, 1899, and was buried from the Church of the Emanuel, March 15, 1899. Her husband, George Inman Cunningham, died from a fall at the Brevoort House, New York, Feb. 28, 1865.

They lived at the Brevoort House, New York, for a great many years, but after Mr. Cunningham's death, Mrs. Cunningham went to Boston to be with her mother. They had one daughter.

(*Gen. VIII*) Mary (or Minnie) Winchester Cunningham, born April 21, 1849, in Boston; married April 21, 1870, at Trinity Church, Boston, Joseph Tilden Barnard, son of George M. and Sarah (Tilden) Barnard, all of Boston, Mass.; died Feb. 13, 1871.

(*Gen. IX*) Joseph Tilden and Mary Winchester (Cunningham) Barnard had one child:

1. Mary Cunningham Barnard, born at Pepin, Wis., Feb. 5, 1871.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tilden Barnard went to Pepin, Wis., where Mr. Barnard had a ranch. There Mrs. Barnard gave birth to a daughter, and died Feb. 13, 1871, when her child was only nine days old. She was buried from Trinity Church, Boston, ten months from the day she had left that church a happy bride. The child, named Mary Cunningham Barnard, was given to the care of her grandmother, Mrs. George M. Barnard of Boston, who brought her up most carefully and tenderly. Her other grandmother, Mrs. George Inman Cunningham, who lived very near her on Beacon Street, provided for her most generously during her lifetime, and at her death bequeathed to her the whole of her property.

Joseph Tilden Barnard died in New York, May 14, 1884.

Mary (or Minnie) Winchester Cunningham, wife of Joseph Tilden Barnard, was a bright, attractive-looking child when I first saw her in 1856, then seven years old, just after our return from Europe. Again we met and saw much of each other when she was sent to Miss Mary Dutton's school in New Haven in 1863. While not decidedly handsome, she had a most

interesting face, was a merry creature, with eyes sparkling with fun, such eyes as one rarely sees, of a peculiar shade of blue, full of light and vivacity, giving expression to the whole countenance. She was a generous-hearted, noble girl, honest and true, and an extremely attractive woman, also a great favorite in New Haven, where she had many friends.

Miss Dutton having given up her school, Miss Cunningham remained in New Haven at the school of the Misses Edwards, where she graduated. In 1866, after my marriage to Mr. Hotchkiss, she made us a visit, returning afterwards to Boston to be with her mother and grandmother Winchester, in the latter's home at 136 Beacon Street, until her marriage to Mr. Barnard in April, 1870.

The above description is given for the sake of Miss Mary Cunningham Barnard, who may some day be glad to know something about her mother from a cousin who knew her well.

WILLIAM PARSONS WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) William Parsons Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5], *William P.*[6]), eldest son of William P. and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Dec. 7, 1827; died at Brussels, Belgium, March 8, 1882. He went to Paris, France, when about twelve years old to be educated at a French school. He spent nearly the whole of his life abroad, chiefly in Paris. Late in life he married a French lady. They had no children, and she is now dead (1894). She was buried in Lacken Cemetery at Brussels, Belgium.

FAMILY OF HENRY SCHROEDER AND ELIZA GILL BRADLEE (WINCHESTER) TAYLOR OF BALTIMORE, MD.

(*Gen. VII*) Eliza Gill Bradlee Winchester, daughter of William P. and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, was born in Boston, May 19, 1830; married in Boston, Nov. 16, 1848,

to Henry Schroeder Taylor of Baltimore, Md., by the Rev. Mr. Schroeder of New York. She died in Baltimore, Md., April 28, 1896. Funeral at Grace Church, Baltimore, April 30, 1896.

Henry Schroeder Taylor, son of Robert A. Taylor of Baltimore, was born there Aug. 5, 1824. He died in Baltimore, Dec. 12, 1886. He was educated at College Point, Flushing, L. I., and became a member of the Baltimore dry-goods house of Robert A. Taylor & Sons, also of the firm of Harvey, Taylor & Frisby; he afterwards went into business on his own account. Retiring from business, he went to Europe with his family in 1865 and remained there several years. On his return Governor Carroll appointed him a Director of Spring Grove Asylum, and for several years he was President of the Board, doing excellent service in that position. He was appointed General on Governor Carroll's staff, which rank he held under several governors, until his resignation in 1896.

When ex-Governor Whyte became Mayor of Baltimore in 1881, he appointed Mr. Taylor City Collector, which position he retained during Mr. Whyte's administration. In 1884 he was elected President of the Baltimore Fire Insurance Company, and held that position until his death. He was one of the organizers in 1857 of the Maryland Club, was on its first Board of Governors, Vice President of it, and always a member of its Executive Committee. He married Eliza Winchester, daughter of Col. William P. Winchester, a prominent merchant of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were always prominent leaders in Baltimore society, and did much for the pleasure and happiness of the young people of that city. Mr. Taylor's family were much interested in and all were members of Grace Episcopal Church in Baltimore.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. Eliza Winchester Taylor, born Dec. 13, 1852, in Baltimore, Md.; married Aug. 5, 1878, in Baltimore, Charles Ridgely White.
2. Louisa Schroeder Taylor, born June 9, 1866; unmarried in 1902.

3. Charlotte Frederica Taylor, born Sept. 10, 1868; married April 28, 1896, in Baltimore, Frank Tudor Harrison.
4. Harry McKesson Taylor, born Feb. 26, 1870; died May 9, 1870.
5. Mary Schroeder Taylor, born Feb. 25, 1872; married Nov. 2, 1896, at Christ Church, Baltimore, Frank W. Bacon of Boston, Mass.

(*Gen. VIII*) Eliza Winchester Taylor, daughter of Henry S. and Eliza Gill Bradlee (Winchester) Taylor, born in Baltimore, Md., Dec. 13, 1852; married in Baltimore, Aug. 5, 1878, to Charles Ridgely White of Baltimore, Md. He died in Baltimore in 1887. He was the son of Charles Ridgely White.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. Henry Schroeder Taylor White, born in Baltimore, Md., July 31, 1879, is an architect; he married, Nov. 26, 1902, at the Memorial Church, in Baltimore, Violett Poe, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William E. Poe.

CHILDREN.

i. Henry S. Taylor White, Jr., born Oct. 3, 1903.
ii. William Poe White, born Dec. 2, 1906.

2. Charles Ridgely White, born Oct. 14, 1881; a business man of Baltimore, Md.; married, Oct. 26, 1910, at Winchester, Va., Lucy Marshall Willis, daughter of Mrs. Marshall Willis of Winchester, Va.
3. Louise Taylor White, an only daughter, born in Baltimore, Md., June 23, 1883.
4. William Winchester White, born July 16, 1886, is in business in Baltimore; married at Baltimore, Md., April 18, 1911, Rebecca Norris Levering, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonidas Levering of Baltimore, Md.

(*Gen. VIII*) Charlotte Frederica Taylor, daughter of Henry S. and Eliza Gill Bradlee (Winchester) Taylor, born in Baltimore, Md., Sept. 10, 1868, was married at her home in Baltimore, Tuesday evening, April 28, 1896, by the Rev. Arthur Chilton Powell, Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, to Frank Tudor Harrison, in the presence only of her immediate family, as her mother was very ill at the time of her marriage, and died immediately afterwards.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. FRANK TUDOR HARRISON, JR., born in Baltimore, Md., March 17, 1897.
2. BRADLEE WINCHESTER HARRISON, born in Baltimore Co., Md., Sept. 3, 1899.
3. ROBERT ALEXANDER TAYLOR HARRISON, born in Baltimore Co., Md., April 12, 1903.

(*Gen. VIII*) MARY SCHROEDER TAYLOR, daughter of Henry S. and Eliza Gill Bradlee (Winchester) Taylor, born Feb. 25, 1872; married at Christ Church, Baltimore, Md., Nov. 2, 1896, to FRANK W. BACON of Boston, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Bacon are living in Brookline, Mass. (1911).

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. MARY FRANCES BACON, born in Brookline, Mass., May 3, 1898.
2. FRANCIS WARREN BACON, JR., born November 27, 1899, in Brookline, Mass.
3. ELIZA W. BACON, born in Brookline, Mass., Sept. 21, 1903.

FAMILY OF JOHN AND EMILY ANN BRADLEE (WINCHESTER) OWEN.

(*Gen. VII*) EMILY ANN BRADLEE WINCHESTER, daughter of Col. William Parsons and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Dec. 9, 1832; died in Canada, May 31, 1910. She married, Feb. 2, 1853, JOHN OWEN of Montreal, Canada. He was born at Boscobel, Shropshire, England, Dec. 12, 1825, and died at Chambly, Canada, Oct. 25, 1894, aged 69.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. EMILY WINCHESTER OWEN, unmarried; died very suddenly April 1, 1899.
2. JOHN VAUGHTON OWEN, married June 4, 1900, Sofila Horetzky. In 1910 was living at Chambly Basin, P. Q., Canada.
3. WILLIAM WINCHESTER OWEN, died ——.
4. ELLEN AUSTIN OWEN, born in Canada; married April 26, 1886, G. A. Roberts. Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Roberts in 1896, St. Paul.

CHILDREN.

i. Eva Winchester Roberts, born Oct. 27, 1887.
ii. Ada Winifred Roberts, born Feb. 20, 1891.
iii. Hazel Metcalfe Roberts, born Jan. 18, 1896.

5. Eliza Josephine Owen, married April 14, 1891, Herbert S. S. Molson. Residence in 1910, 180 Mansfield Street, Montreal, Canada.

CHILDREN.

i. Reginald Owen Molson, born in Montreal, Jan., 1892.

6. Mary Isabella Owen, married April 17, 1900, Robert A. Baldwin Hart, city residence, 318 Sherbrooke Street, Montreal, Canada, March, 1910. Mary Owen Hart lost her husband, Robert A. Baldwin Hart, in September, 1903.

FAMILY OF WYNDHAM BRUCE AND ELLEN LOUISA BRADLEE (WINCHESTER) AUSTIN.

(*Gen. VII*) Ellen Louisa Bradlee Winchester, daughter of Col. William P. and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 6, 1835; was living at Windsor Hotel, Montreal, Canada, March, 1910. Married, in Boston, Oct. 25, 1853, Wyndham Bruce Austin of Montreal, Canada, an Englishman, related to the Amory family of Boston.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. Eliza Austin, born Aug. 6, 1855; died Dec. 27, 1910.
2. Thomas Adolphus Austin, died ——.
3. Wyndham Bruce Austin, born Jan. 9, 1859. Wedding notice: "At St. Thomas' Church, Toronto, Sept. 1, 1904, W. Bruce Austin, eldest son of the late Mr. Wyndham B. Austin of Chambly, to Beatrice May, youngest daughter of the late Mr. H. A. Holden." Mr. and Mrs. W. Bruce Austin were living at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, in 1910, but his address, May, 1911, was Richelieu, P. Q.
4. Augustus Frederic Austin, born Sept. 21, 1861; married July 6, 1910.
5. William Winchester Austin, born July 10, 1863.

THOMAS BRADLEE WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Thomas Bradlee Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5], *William P.*[6]), youngest son of Col. William P. and Eliza Gill (Bradlee) Winchester, born in

Boston, Mass., Aug. 25, 1837; died at his home, 138 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass., March 3, 1904; married, Sept. 9, 1857, ELLEN DOANE MANSON, daughter of Eben and Ellen (Homer) Manson of Cambridgeport, Mass.

Ellen Doane Manson, born Dec. 16, 1835, died at her home in Boston, July 4, 1901.

Mr. Winchester, a quiet, dignified gentleman, public-spirited and generous, but extremely modest and reserved; a member of the St. Botolph Club, the Temple Club, the Country Club, also of the old Somerset Club of Boston, which was organized Sept. 9, 1851, and was an offshoot of the Tremont Club of 1840. Mr. Winchester was elected a member of the Somerset Club, June 6, 1864, his sponsors being H. P. Sturgis, I. G. Bates and J. T. Barnard.

(Facts regarding Col. Winchester's immediate family chiefly from Thomas Bradlee Winchester, his son, in 1894-96.)

Mr. Winchester was for many years a member of the Independent Corps of Cadets of Boston, of which his father had been Commander, and when the 117th anniversary of the Corps occurred, Oct. 19, 1858, it was made the occasion of an excursion to Watertown, where the Company became the guests of Mr. Winchester at his beautiful country place. Col. C. C. Holmes was then Commander and Governor Banks and the members of his staff, Colonels Parker, Reed and Blake, were among the invited guests; also Col. J. W. Sever and Col. T. C. Amory, past Commanders. Edward A. Weld of Brookline, who afterwards became Brig.-General of the United States Volunteers during the Civil War, was then a member of the Corps. The Company, on the occasion of this fête, mustered ninety-three men, and the entertainment was princely and magnificent.

Thomas B. Winchester was elected on the Board of Directors of the Veteran Association of the Corps of Cadets (1741-1896) and accepted the position July, 1896.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF THOMAS BRADLEE AND ELLEN DOANE (MANSON) WINCHESTER.

1. ELIZA BRADLEE WINCHESTER, born Jan. 25, 1860, in Boston, Mass.; married (1) Jan., 1881, Frederic Calvert Heighe of

Baltimore, Md., a lawyer. Married (2) July, 1901, Edward Sandford of New York, a lawyer.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN OF FREDERIC CALVERT AND ELIZA BRADLEE (WINCHESTER) HEIGHE.

1. ROBERT HOULDSWORTH HEIGHE, born in Baltimore, Md., Feb. 3, 1882; is in the electrical supply business. He married June 1, 1907, at Grace Church, Baltimore, Annie Bell McElderry, daughter of Mrs. Thomas McElderry, and was living in Portland, Me., in 1910.
2. FREDERIC CALVERT HEIGHE, JR., born Feb. 1, 1884, was a civil engineer, and was living at San Antonio, Texas, in 1910. He died at Denver, Colo., in 1911.
3. LISA WINCHESTER HEIGHE, born in Baltimore, Feb. 3, 1885; married, at Greenfield Hill, Conn., Sept. 12, 1906, William Linn Culbertson, Jr., United States Navy. He was stationed at San Francisco, Cal., in 1910. They have one child, a boy, born July 1, 1908.

ELLEN HOMER WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VIII*) ELLEN HOMER WINCHESTER, daughter of Thomas Bradlee and Ellen Doane (Manson) Winchester, born in Boston, Mass., Aug. 15, 1861; married (1st), June 23, 1886, WILLIAM FLETCHER WELD. They were married at the Arlington Street Church of Boston by the Rev. Brooke Herford, assisted by the Rev. James Freeman Clarke. William F. Weld died Jan. 9, 1893. They had no children.

A JUNE WEDDING IN BOSTON IN 1886.

The wedding of Mr. William F. Weld and Miss Ellen Homer Winchester was solemnized this morning in the Arlington Street Church, Rev. Brooke Herford, assisted by Dr. James Freeman Clarke, performing the ceremony. Both young people being so well known the company of invited guests was very brilliant and included all the prominent society people of the city. The interior of the church was a mass of flowers. From the organ loft depended graceful festoons of laurel, and the pulpit stairs and platform were nearly hidden from view by a wealth of palms, ferns, evergreens, orange trees and other exotic plants. . . . Promptly at twelve o'clock the bridal party entered the church, the organist playing the wedding march from Lohengrin. No bridesmaids were in attendance, but the bride proceeded to the altar, leaning on the arm of her father, the ushers, Messrs. Wainwright, Richard D. Sears, George Nickerson, J. T. Wheelwright, William Eldridge, and A. W. Longfellow, leading the way. At the altar the

bride was met by the groom, attended by Mr. C. Minot Weld, his groomsman. The bride's graceful figure and blonde beauty were set off by her lovely white satin gown, with court train and long tulle veil, which entirely covered her costume, being caught up by orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a magnificent necklace of diamonds and sapphires, the gift of the groom. A reception and breakfast followed at the residence of Mr. Thomas B. Winchester, on Beacon Street, the decorations at the house being very beautiful. The *Gitana*, Mr. Weld's superb yacht, which was lying at Thompson's Island, fired a salute of twenty-one guns in honor of the marriage.

William F. Weld, one of Brookline's wealthiest citizens, was born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 21, 1855, son of William G. Weld, grandson of William F. Weld, from whom he inherited his vast wealth, valued at several millions.

He was eminently a public-spirited man, one whose spontaneous generosity was felt as a force, wherever men were working together for the better life of the community, and he never forgot that great wealth carries with it corresponding obligations. He was one of the most munificent benefactors of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, gave large sums to the Museum of Fine Arts, as well as to many of the charities of Boston. A loyal son of Harvard (he graduated in 1876), there was no branch of his Alma Mater's varied life that he was not glad to help and he gave to it a large sum of money for the purpose of founding a new professorship in the Harvard Law School. A true New England boy, he loved the sea, a taste he naturally inherited. The "Black Horse" flag, which was the private signal of his yacht *Gitana*, built in 1882, the most sumptuous yacht on the New England coast, was known all over the world on his grandfather's ships, and his great-grandfather was a sea captain. Mr. Weld joined the Eastern Yacht Club in 1870, was the Commodore of the Club in 1887 and 1888. He was a member of the Corinthian Yacht Club, of the Algonquin, Art, Athletic, Country, Puritan, Myopia and Somerset clubs, also of the Union Boat, Hull and Massachusetts Yacht clubs.

Mr. Weld built a fine residence and palatial stable on the old Goddard farm at Brookline, Mass., which had been in his

mother's family for more than a hundred years. He married, Aug. 23, 1886, Ellen Homer Winchester, daughter of Thomas Bradlee and Ellen Doane (Manson) Winchester of Boston, but only lived a few years after this event, dying of diphtheria at his home in Brookline, Jan. 9, 1893, leaving to his young wife the whole of his large fortune.

Ellen Homer (Winchester) Weld married (2d) Harmanus Barkuls Duryea, April 30, 1895. They were married at Saint George's Chapel, Hanover Square, London, England. Harmanus B. Duryea is a son of the late Gen. Harmanus B. Duryea of Brooklyn, N. Y. He graduated at Harvard University in 1884. He is a gentleman of wealth and leisure. He owns a hunting lodge at Hickory Valley, Tenn. He has been a great traveler and he and Mrs. Duryea spend much time abroad.

PART FIRST

CHAPTER VIII

Stephen Winchester.

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CHAPTER VIII

STEPHEN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) Stephen Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5]), son of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Aug. 13, 1805; died in Boston, Mass., Sept. 10, 1847; a merchant of the firm of E. A. & W. Winchester of Boston; owner of the yacht *Pathfinder*, built in 1842. Mr. Winchester was a pioneer in Yachting. He married Lucinda Stearns, born in Newcastle, Me., daughter of Ezekiel and Nancy (Dodge) Stearns.

Lucinda Stearns, widow of Stephen Winchester, married (2d) Rev. Mr. Potter. He died a few years after their marriage. She lived to be nearly eighty-seven years old, and at that advanced age retained full possession of all her faculties. Generous and kind-hearted, her sympathies and purse were always at the disposal of the suffering and needy. She died at her home in Brookline, Dec. 4, 1893, aged 86.

CHILDREN OF STEPHEN AND LUCINDA (STEARNS) WINCHESTER.

1. **Lucinda Stearns Winchester, born in Boston, Dec. 10, 1832; married James Henry Cunningham, Jan. 12, 1854.**
2. **Stephen Stearns Winchester, born in Boston, July 29, 1834; married, Feb. 13, 1856, Elizabeth Holbrook Bartlett; died April 27, 1880.**

LUCINDA STEARNS WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Lucinda Stearns Winchester, daughter of Stephen and Lucinda (Stearns) Winchester, born in Boston, Mass., Dec. 10, 1832; married, Jan. 12, 1854, James Henry Cunningham, son of Andrew and Abigail Leonard (West) Cunningham. He was born in Boston, March 8, 1825; died at his country place at Manchester, Mass., Sept. 7, 1891.

For many years Mr. Cunningham was a partner of the old firm of A. & C. Cunningham, ship owners and merchants, of which his father was the founder. After the dying out of the shipping industry in Boston, after our Civil War, he became part owner and later Treasurer of the Continental Sugar Refinery Company of Boston, a large and prosperous business enterprise.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. HELEN CUNNINGHAM, born June 3, 1857, in Winchester, Mass.; died there Aug. 21, 1857.
2. HENRY WINCHESTER CUNNINGHAM, born March 26, 1860, in Winchester, Mass.; married in Boston, Oct. 30, 1899, Mary May Hayward.

HENRY WINCHESTER CUNNINGHAM.

(*Gen. VIII*) HENRY WINCHESTER CUNNINGHAM, son of James Henry and Lucinda Stearns (Winchester) Cunningham, was born in Winchester, Mass., March 26, 1860. He was married in Boston, Oct. 30, 1899, to MARY MAY HAYWARD, daughter of Isaac Davenport and Mary Bartlett (Vose) Hayward, by the Rev. Frederick Baylies Allen and Rev. Roderick Stebbins. Mary May Hayward is the great-granddaughter of Mary, daughter of Samuel May of Boston.

Henry Winchester Cunningham graduated at Harvard College, 1882, was Secretary of his class (1882), kept the records, edited the reports, also was sole trustee of the funds; a member of the Council and Executive Committee of Harvard Graduates Magazine Association (1894), Chief Marshal of the Harvard Alumni at Commencement (1907). He has always been deeply interested in genealogical matters, and has held office for many years in the New England Historic Genealogical Society of Boston, Mass., serving as Librarian and a member of the Council in 1892, for several years a member of the Library Committee, for ten years Corresponding Secretary, and since January, 1910, Vice President of the Society and Chairman of the Committee of Publications. He is also a

Henry Winchester Cunningham.

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member of the American Antiquarian Society and American Historical Association; a member of the Club of Odd Volumes of Boston, and a corresponding member of the Maine Historical Society; a member of the Bostonian Society, of the Essex Institute, and also a member of Milton (Mass.) Historical Society. He is on the Board of Managers of the Home for Aged Women in Boston; a founder and Recording Secretary of The Colonial Society of Massachusetts since its foundation in 1892, which is one of the most distinguished, although one of the latest of the historical societies, membership limited to one hundred and only those are eligible who can trace descent from a resident of the Massachusetts Colony previous to the second charter, 1692.

Founders of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, founded Dec. 19, 1892: Benjamin Apthorp Gould, LL.D., Hon. John Lowell, LL.D., Hon. Leverett Saltonstall, LL.B., William Endicott, Jr., A.M., Henry Herbert Edes, Esq., John Chester Inches, Esq., Daniel Denison Slade, M.D., James Bradley Thayer, LL.D., Andrew McFarland Davis, A.M., William Watson, Ph.D., Henry Winchester Cunningham, A.B., Gustavus Arthur Hilton, LL.B., Henry Ernest Woods, Esq., Charles Sedgwick Rackemann, Esq.

HAYWARD LINEAGE.

Isaac Davenport, a merchant of Boston and resident of Milton, Mass., was born at Milton in 1753, and died there in 1828. He owned a large estate at Blue Hill, Milton, where he built a house in 1794. He married, in 1787, Mary May, daughter of Samuel May, Esq., of Boston. His daughter,

Mary May, married Joseph Henshaw Hayward of Boston in 1816. Their son,

Isaac Davenport Hayward, was born in 1828, died 1878. He married, in 1860, Mary Bartlett Vose, daughter of Hon. Elijah Vose of Boston. Their daughter,

Mary May Hayward, married, Oct. 30, 1899, Henry Winchester Cunningham of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham spend their summers at Milton, Mass., where they live in the old homestead, built in 1794 by Isaac Davenport.

THE CUNNINGHAM FAMILY OF BOSTON.

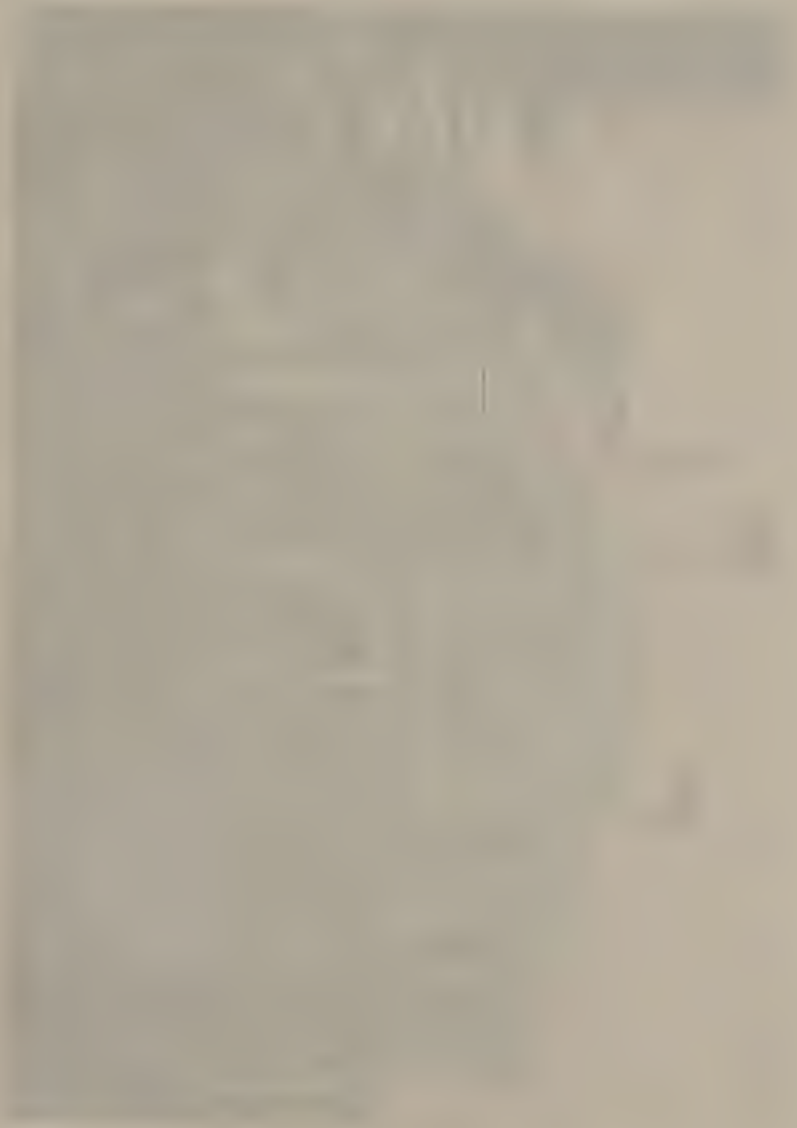
A Brief Outline by Henry Winchester Cunningham, Feb., 1896.

The branch of the family from which I am descended is of Scotch extraction, and first appears in this country shortly after 1680.

Andrew Cunningham, the emigrant, was made a member of the Scots Charitable Society of Boston in 1684, and the birth of the first child of Andrew and his wife, Sarah, is in the Boston Records of 1686. They had numerous descendants, some of them scattered through eastern New England and latterly over the whole country, but the greater part of the family has always lived in or about Boston. Here they have been well-known citizens, and while no one of them has ever been remarkably distinguished, they have all been good citizens and public-spirited, and held many offices of trust—civil, military and corporate. They did their part in the War of the Revolution and held the usual town offices. They have intermarried with most of the principal families of New England and have always stood well in the social life of Boston. Most of the men have been merchants, in the true sense of the term, and several are graduates of Harvard. My grandfather, Andrew Cunningham, was the founder of the firm of A. & C. Cunningham, ship owners and merchants, and was an active figure in the commercial life of Boston from 1820 to 1860,—a quiet, unassuming man, of sterling integrity and great capacity. He died in 1861.

His wife was Abigail Leonard West, the daughter of David West and Abigail Leonard, and was of the famous Leonard family of Bristol County (Taunton and Raynham) and was also descended from John Alden and Priscilla Mullins.

My father was James Henry Cunningham, the third son, who lived to manhood, of Andrew, and was born in Boston,



Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winchester Cunningham.

Brush Hill Road, Milton, Mass.

Built in 1794 by Isaac Davenport.

March 8, 1825, married in Boston, Jan. 12, 1854, to Lucinda Stearns Winchester, and died at his country place at Manchester, Mass., Sept. 7, 1891. He, too, was a merchant, and in the first half of his life was a partner in his father's firm. But with the dying out of the shipping industry at the time of the war of the Rebellion, he became interested in the business of importing and refining sugars, in which he continued up to within a few years of his death, becoming a part owner in and latterly Treasurer of the Continental Sugar Refinery of Boston, a large and prosperous business enterprise. He, too, was of a quiet, gentle disposition, a kind and loving husband and father, a man whose calm, good judgment, whose well-known honesty and integrity of character, gave to him many positions of trust and responsibility. He never cared for public life, and his chief pleasure was in his home.

CUNNINGHAM LINEAGE.

(*Gen. VII*) Henry Winchester Cunningham, = Mary May Hayward.
Born March 26, 1860.
Married Oct. 30, 1899.
Son of
(*Gen. VI*) James Henry Cunningham. = Lucinda Stearns Winchester.
Born March 8, 1825. Born Dec. 10, 1832.
Married Jan. 12, 1854. Married Jan. 12, 1854, James Henry Cunningham.
Died Sept. 7, 1891.
Son of
(*Gen. V*) Andrew Cunningham. = Abigail Leonard West
Born Oct. 29, 1786. Born Feb. 6, 1796.
Married March 27, 1816. Married March 27, 1816.
Died Dec. 6, 1861. Died March 9, 1879, in Boston.
Son of
(*Gen. IV*) Andrew Cunningham. = Polly Lewis.
Born Feb. 16, 1760. Born Oct. 2, 1764.
Married Oct. 2, 1783. Married Oct. 2, 1783.
Died Aug. 20, 1829. Died May 9, 1809.
Son of
(*Gen. III*) James Cunningham. = Elizabeth Boylston.
Born April 24, 1721. Born June 17, 1717.
Married June 3, 1742. Married June 3, 1742.
Died June 6, 1795. Died June 23, 1769.
Son of
(*Gen. II*) William Cunningham. = Elizabeth Wheeler.
Born Nov. 17. 1694. Born ——
Married Nov. 27, 1716. Married Nov. 27, 1716.
Died Nov. 11, 1744. Died May 10, 1758.
Son of
(*Gen. I*) Andrew Cunningham. = Sarah ——

STEPHEN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Stephen Stearns Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5], *Stephen*[6]) was born in Boston, Mass., July 29, 1834; married in Boston, Feb. 13, 1856, Elizabeth Holbrook Bartlett, daughter of William S. and Betsey B. (Finney) Bartlett. She was born in Plymouth, Mass., Jan. 14, 1834. He died April 27, 1880.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. Lizzie Taylor Winchester, born Jan. 27, 1857, in Boston. Unmarried in 1906.
2. Annie Bourne Winchester, born June 5, 1859, in Boston. Unmarried in 1906.
3. Edmund Winchester, born Feb. 26, 1865, in Boston; married June 5, 1890, Ruth Denison Dana.

EDMUND WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VIII*) Edmund Winchester[8] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5], *Stephen*[6], *Stephen*[7]), only son of Stephen Stearns and Elizabeth Holbrook (Bartlett) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 26, 1865; married, June 5, 1890, at St. Paul's Church, Brookline, Mass., Ruth Denison Dana, daughter of William Jay and Mary Caroline (Smith) Dana.

Edmund Winchester is the only great-grandson of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester bearing to-day (1911) the name of Winchester. He is manager of the fire department of the Boston Insurance Co., at 137 Milk Street, Boston, and is a fine business man.

CHILDREN.

1. Dorothy Winchester, born Sept. 10, 1891, in Brookline, Mass.
2. Helen Winchester, born Feb. 17, 1905.

DANA LINEAGE OF RUTH DENISON DANA.

Ruth Denison Dana married, June 5, 1890, Edmund Winchester of Brookline, Mass.

Edmund Winchester.

Son of Stephen Winchester.
The only great-grandson of Edmund Winchester Sr., living in 1911, bearing the name of Winchester.
1890.

(*Gen. I*) Richard Dana married Anne Bullard.

(*Gen. II*) Daniel Dana, born March 20, 1663; died 1749; married Naomi Croswell.

(*Gen. III*) Caleb Dana, baptized June 3, 1697; married, July 14, 1726, Phoebe Chandler of Andover, Mass. They resided in Cambridge, Mass., where he died April 28, 1769. She died in 1772.

CHILDREN.

1. Caleb Dana, died young.
2. Phebe Dana.
3. Priscilla Dana.
4. Caleb Dana, baptized Aug. 13, 1733; and others.

(*Gen. IV*) Capt. Caleb Dana, baptized Aug. 13, 1733. Lived in the old Dana house on Washington Street, but died while on a visit to his brother, Rev. James Dana, at Wallingford, Conn., aged 35 years. He married, in Brighton, Mass., May 21 or 24, 1756, Sarah Ballard.

CHILDREN.

1. Charles Dana, born 1757.
2. Orlando Dana, baptized Sept. 23, 1760.
3. Henry Dana, baptized Sept. 19, 1762; died Feb. 20, 1817.
4. Caleb Dana, born about 1765; died about 1801.
5. James Dana, born 1769.

Orlando Dana, baptized Sept. 23, 1760, is probably the Orlando of the brigantine *Rising States*, who, with his cousin Daniel Dana, was captured April 15, 1777, by the British ship *Terrible*. His name is on the list of prisoners at Forton Prison, England, 1777-9. It afterwards appears in Boston archives, like that of Charles Dana, as quarter gunner on the *General Miflin*, at the same date, Sept. 9, 1780. (From Historical Brighton, by J. P. C. Winship, p. 197, and seq., p. 210.) His younger brother,

(*Gen. V*) Henry Dana, baptized Sept. 19, 1762; resided in Brighton, Mass.; was town clerk for several years, 1807-17. He married there, Aug. 31, 1786, Sarah, daughter of Andrew and Joanna (Winship) Wilson. He died Feb. 20, 1817.

CHILDREN BORN IN BRIGHTON, MASS.

1. Sarah Dana, born March 27, 1787.
2. Charles Dana, born April 22, 1789.
3. Henry Ballard Dana, born Sept. 2, 1791.
4. Mary Dana, born March 22, 1792.
5. Martha Dana, born July 18, 1797.
6. Orlando Nelson Dana, born Dec. 10, 1800.
7. James Dana, born Oct. 9, 1804; removed to Woodstock, Vt.

(From Historical Brighton, by J. P. C. Winship, pp. 197 and seq., p. 210.)

(*Gen. VI*) Orlando Nelson Dana, born Dec. 10, 1800, in Brighton, Mass.; went to Woodstock, Vt., where he became a partner of his brother, Henry Ballard Dana. Married, Dec. 21, 1825, Mary Champlin Denison, daughter of Henry C. Denison of Woodstock, Vt. About 1828, removed to Castleton, Vt., and died in Rutland, Vt., April 12, 1841. His widow died in Woodstock, April 12, 1847. (The above Dana facts from Historical Brighton, pp. 197-210; also, from History of Woodstock, Vt., p. 604.)

(*Gen. VII*) William Jay Dana, son of Orlando Nelson and Mary Champlin (Denison) Dana, born in Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 24, 1839; married Mary Caroline Smith, born in Taunton, Mass., May 16, 1839.

(*Gen. VIII*) Ruth Denison Dana, born in Newton Upper Falls, Mass., Feb. 3, 1865, daughter of William Jay and Mary (Smith) Dana; married, June 5, 1890, Edmund Winchester, at St. Paul's Church, Brookline, Mass.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. Dorothy Winchester, born in Brookline, Mass., Sept 10, 1891.
2. Helen Winchester, born Feb. 17, 1905.

JOSEPH CLAY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) Joseph Clay Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5]), sixth child of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester, born in Boston in 1808. Tradition says, was a student at college, but left on account of ill health. Went on a voyage and died at Valparaiso, South America, April 30, 1834, aged 26.

PART FIRST

CHAPTER IX

Family of Edmund Winchester, Jr., and of His Wife, Harriette Mears.
George Henry and Marion (Winchester) Kingsbury.
Edmund Winchester Kingsbury.
Marion (Kingsbury) Appleton.
Appleton Lineage.
Kingsbury Lineage.
Came Lineage.
Carlisle and Maine Lineages.
Bourne Lineage.
Perkins Lineage.
Justus Street and Fanny (Winchester) Hotchkiss.
Street Lineage.
Gov. Simeon E. and Susan (Winchester) Baldwin.
Baldwin Ancestry.
Roger Sherman Baldwin.
Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman.
Sherman Lineage.
Pitkin Lineage.
Dudley Lineage.
Wyllys Lineage.
Haynes Lineage.
Bradford Lineage.

Charlotte Winchester.
Florence Winchester (de Karajan) Sargent.
Dr. Charles W. and Harriet Winchester (de Karajan) Swan.
Swan Lineage.
Marion Nickerson (Swan) Bartlett.
Bartlett Lineage.
Lothrop Lineage.
Howland Lineage.
Walter Buckingham Swan.
Edith Rosamond (Swan) Hammer.
Catherine Mears.
Mears Lineage of Mrs. Giuseppe Carlo Matteini (née Harriette Mears.)
Elijah Mears.
Frost Lineage.
Stickney Lineage.
Swan Lineage.
Brocklebank Lineage.
Syle Lineage.
Raymond Lineage.
Ireland Lineage.
Scruggs Lineage.

Edmund Winchester, Jr.

From a painting previous to 1845.

Mrs. Edmund Winchester.

Née Harriette Mears.

From a crayon in 1845-6.

CHAPTER IX

EDMUND WINCHESTER, JR.

(*Gen. VI*) Edmund Winchester, Jr.[6] (*John*[1]; *John*[2], *Stephen*[3], *Stephen*[4], *Edmund*[5]), youngest son of Edmund and Prudence (Skillings) Winchester. Born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 16, 1811. Died in Boston, Nov. 15, 1845. Married in Boston, Nov. 12, 1833, Harriette Henchman Mears, youngest daughter of Elijah and Catherine Marshall (Raymond) Mears of Boston. They were married at the bride's home by the Rev. Baron Stow, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of Boston (Boston Church Records; also, Marriages in Boston, Vol. 1800-49, p. 441).

Edmund Winchester was trained for business in the firm of Lawrence, Stone & Co., domestic goods commission merchants, agents for the Lowell and other mills. The firm was composed of William Lawrence, William W. Stone and Samuel Lawrence. He left this firm to enter into partnership with Alexander Turnbull of Baltimore, Md., the firm being Turnbull & Winchester, also in the same business. Mr. Winchester was then about twenty-two years old. Later, he left Baltimore and joined the firm of Tucker & Dorr of New York, a wealthy and leading house, also domestic goods commission merchants.

Mr. Winchester was a great favorite among his numerous friends, who enjoyed and admired his sparkling wit, and clever and witty stories, but particularly was he loved for his almost chivalrous courtesy and kindness to others, whether rich or poor, and for his noble and generous heart. He died at the early age of thirty-four years.

HARRIETTE MEARS.

Harriette Mears, wife of Edmund Winchester, was born in Boston, January 26, 1816, and was not quite eighteen when

she first married. She died in Boston, July 2, 1868. Notice of her marriage, which took place in Boston, Nov. 12, 1833:

"Last evening, by the Rev. Baron Stow, Mr. Edmund Winchester, Jr., of the firm of Turnbull & Winchester of Baltimore to Miss Harriet Henchman Mears, youngest daughter of Mr. Elijah Mears."

Mr. Winchester died in November, 1845. In less than a year after his death, my mother, then a young widow, about thirty years old, decided to go abroad and with her four small children, one a baby in arms, sailed for Florence, Italy, in July, 1846. She educated all her children in Italy, sending her three eldest daughters, when old enough, to the best French school in Florence, and giving them also the advantages of the finest masters of that city in music, drawing and the languages. They were brought up exactly like foreign girls, were never allowed to go out alone, had but few friends outside of their school companions and saw nothing of Florentine society, with the exception that a short time previous to their return to America, a country they dreamed of and longed for, the two eldest daughters, one about eighteen and the other sixteen, were allowed to go to a few balls and were both presented at the Court of the Grand Duke of Tuscany, Leopold II. Mrs. Winchester was an extremely clever and intellectual woman, a brilliant conversationalist and a great reader.

In 1866, a period of great historical interest, and many changes in Italy, she was persuaded by her friends to write a series of letters from Florence, which show a deep insight into the political state of Italy at that period. She had lived there for many years, loved its people and sympathized strongly with them in their struggle for unity and freedom. These letters, written for a Boston paper, were collected by her daughter, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, and by her published in 1893.

Harriette Mears married three times.

She married (2d) in 1847, at Leghorn, Italy, the Chevalier Nicolas Théodore de Karajan, a gentleman whose family was originally from Athens, Greece, but had moved to Germany and lived there many years.

They had two daughters:

1. Florence Winchester de Karajan, born at the Baths of Lucca, Italy, Feb. 9, 1848.
2. Harriet Winchester de Karajan, born in Florence, Italy, May 3, 1849.

Harriette Mears de Karajan married (3d) in 1858, at the American Embassy, Paris, France, Giuseppe Carlo Matteini, an Italian gentleman from Florence, Italy, previously of Rome, where he had been a member of the Noble Guards of Pope Pius IX, a famous corps, which always accompanied the sovereign Pontiff and formed his body-guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Matteini arrived in Boston, Aug. 26, 1858, remained about two years in the United States, and returned to Florence, Italy, in 1861. Mr. Matteini had been appointed Vice Consul at Florence, Italy. Mrs. Matteini's three youngest daughters accompanied her to Italy. She had no children by her third husband.

In January, 1867, she again returned to Boston, where she died July 2, 1868, at the home of her eldest daughter, Mrs. George H. Kingsbury of Boston, and was laid at rest in her father's lot at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

Her third husband survived her and is now living in Florence, Italy (1905). He has been married twice since her death, the last time quite recently.

(*Gen. VII*) children of edmund and harriette (mears) winchester.

1. Marion Winchester, born July 30, 1836, in New York; married Dec. 30, 1858, George Henry Kingsbury of Boston; died in Boston Jan. 14, 1902.
2. Fanny Winchester, born Oct. 9, 1838, in Boston, Mass.; married May 9, 1866, Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, Conn. (Trinity Church Records of New Haven, Conn.) Died in New Haven, Jan. 24, 1912.
3. Susan Winchester, born Jan. 29, 1840, in Boston, Mass.; married Oct. 19, 1865, Simeon E. Baldwin of New Haven, Conn.
4. Charlotte Winchester, born Feb. 12, 1846, in Boston, Mass.; died at her sister's, Camp Aloha, near Paul Smith's, in the Adirondacks, August 18, 1904; unmarried.

Harriette, widow of Edmund Winchester, married (2d) at Leghorn (Livorno), Italy, in 1847, the Chevalier Nicolas Théodore de Karajan. Their children:

1. Florence Winchester de Karajan, born Feb. 9, 1848, at the Baths of Lucca, Italy; married April 22, 1878, Joseph Bradford Sargent of New Haven, Conn.
2. Harriet Winchester de Karajan, born May 3, 1849, in Florence, Italy; married June 24, 1869, Dr. Charles W. Swan of Boston, Mass.

(For records of above marriages, see Marriages in Boston, Vol. 1800-49, page 441; Vol. 1849-1869, No. 2064, No. 2012; Vol. 1869, No. 1470. Also Trinity Church and St. Paul's Church records of New Haven, Conn.)

(*Gen. VII*) Family of Marion (Winchester) Kingsbury.

Kingsbury Lineage.
Came Lineage.
Carlisle Lineage.
Bourne Lineage.
Perkins Lineage.

Marion Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester, was born in New York, July 30, 1836. Baptized in the English Church at Florence, Italy, by the Rev. Henry O'Neill, Chaplain, May 17, 1855. (Records of baptism in the hands of Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss of New Haven).

Married in Boston to George Henry Kingsbury, lawyer, Dec. 30, 1858, at the home of her uncle, Granville Mears (her mother's brother), by the Rev. Ezra Stiles Gannett, D.D. (Marriages in Boston, Vol. 1849-1869, No. 2064.)

She died at her home in Boston, Mass., January 14, 1902, from a relapse of bronchial pneumonia, and was buried at Kennebunk, Me., by the side of her husband.

Marion Winchester went to Florence, Italy, in 1846, was educated there, and returned to the United States with her five sisters, in July, 1856. They were met in New York by their aunt, Catherine Mears, and with her returned to Boston, where they lived with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Mears, for nearly two years.

Mrs. George H. Kingsbury.

Née Marion Winchester.

1858-60.

Fanny Winchester Kingsbury.

1901.

Edmund Winchester Kingsbury.

Framingham, Mass.

Marion Winchester was highly accomplished. She spoke Italian and French fluently; also knew German, and was a very fine pianist. She was a woman of many gifts and great strength of character. Her husband, George Henry Kingsbury, was born March 4, 1827, at Kennebunk, Me., the son of Henry and Julia Ann (Bourne) Kingsbury of Kennebunk, Me. He graduated at Bowdoin College, Me., in 1845, at the age of eighteen, studied law in the office of his uncle, Judge Bourne of Kennebunk; afterwards went to Boston and entered the office of Daniel Webster; practiced law in Boston. He was Deputy Collector of Customs of the Port of Boston for two or three years. He married (1st) in Boston, Elizabeth Watts, who died in less than a year. His second wife was Marion Winchester, whom he married Dec., 1858. The latter part of his life he became deaf and was a great invalid for many years. He died at his home in Boston, March 24, 1899. His funeral took place in Boston, but he was buried at Kennebunk, Me.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF GEORGE HENRY AND MARION (WINCHESTER) KINGSBURY.

1. FLORENCE WINCHESTER KINGSBURY, born in Boston, Mass., April 1, 1860; died there July 5, 1876, aged 16.
2. FANNY WINCHESTER KINGSBURY, born in Boston, Mass., March 4, 1861; unmarried in 1911.
3. EDMUND WINCHESTER KINGSBURY, born in Boston, Mass., Sept. 12, 1862; married in Brooklyn, N. Y., Helen Ovington, May 15, 1894.
4. MARION KINGSBURY, born in Boston, Mass., April 24, 1864; married in Boston, Oct. 12, 1886, to Charles Brooks Appleton of Boston.
5. MAUD LINCOLN KINGSBURY, born in Boston, Mass., April 15, 1865; unmarried in 1911.

(*Gen. VIII*) EDMUND WINCHESTER KINGSBURY, born Sept. 12, 1862, in Boston, Mass., an architect by profession, but also a gifted artist and paints charmingly. Graduated in the Architectural Department of the School of Technology in Boston, May, 1883.

He married, May 15, 1894, HELEN OVINGTON, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore T. Ovington of Brooklyn, N. Y.

They were married at Miss Ovington's house by the Rev. John W. Chadwick, pastor of the Second Unitarian Church of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Winchester Kingsbury live at Framingham, Mass., and spend their summers at Seal Harbor, Me.

CHILDREN.

i. THEODORE OVINGTON KINGSBURY, born at Framingham, Mass., November 2, 1906.
ii. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER KINGSBURY, born at Seal Harbor, Me., July 23, 1908.

(*Gen. VIII*) MARION KINGSBURY, born April 24, 1864, in Boston, Mass., was married, Oct, 12, 1886, by the Rev. Mr. Winkley, to CHARLES BROOKS APPLETON of Boston. A reception immediately followed at her home in Greenwich Park.

Charles Brooks Appleton, son of Charles Henry and Jane Williams (Brooks) Appleton, was born in Boston, Mass., Oct. 1, 1862. Graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1884; by profession a mechanical engineer. They live in Brookline, Mass. (1911), in the "Dutch House," Netherlands Road. This house was bought by Mr. Appleton at the World's Columbian Exposition, altered and added to for his use as a residence, and is an almost perfect reproduction of the Townhall of Franeker, Friesland, Holland, erected in 1591.

CHARLES BROOKS APPLETON.

(Goes back in a direct line seven generations earlier than first settler in this country.)

John Apulton of Great Waldingfield, Suffolk, England; died in 1414.

First settler in this country was:

(*Gen. I*) Samuel Appleton, born in Little Waldingfield, England, in 1586. He emigrated to Ipswich, New England, in 1635. Died in Rowley, Mass., in 1670. Married twice. By first wife, Mary Everard, had

Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Appleton.

Brookline, Mass., Erected 1894.
A reproduction of the Townhall of Franeker, Freisland Holland,
Erected in 1591.

(*Gen. II*) Col. Samuel Appleton, his second son, born in Waldingfield, England, in 1624. Came with his father to New England at the age of eleven; died in 1696. He married twice: (2d) Mary Oliver. She died in 1698. Their son,

(*Gen. III*) Oliver Appleton, born in 1676; died in 1759. He married Sarah Perkins. His fourth son,

(*Gen. IV*) Samuel Appleton, was born in 1713. He married three times, and died in Haverhill, Mass., in 1780. By his third wife, Mary Russell, he had a son,

(*Gen. V*) Thomas Appleton, born in 1745. He married, Dec. 15, 1766, Martha Barnard. He died Dec. 1, 1803, and is interred in the burial ground on Boston Common. Their seventh child,

(*Gen. VI*) Benjamin Barnard Appleton, was born May 8, 1781. He married, July 3, 1814, Catherine Hooton. He died in Boston, Apr. 23, 1844. He was a hardware merchant. His second son,

(*Gen. VII*) Charles Henry Appleton (a merchant), born in Boston, July 14, 1817. He died in Charlestown, N. H., June 13, 1866. He married, Nov. 22, 1860, Jane Williams Brooks; born in Boston, Sept. 1, 1832; died in Cambridge, Mass., Aug. 22, 1881. She was the daughter of Charles and Nancy (Dicks) Brooks.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. CHARLES BROOKS APPLETON, eldest son of Charles Henry and Jane Williams (Brooks) Appleton, born in Boston, Mass., Oct. 1, 1862. Graduated at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1884; a mechanical engineer by profession. Married in Boston, by Rev. S. H. Winkley, Oct. 12, 1886, to Marion Kingsbury, daughter of George Henry and Marion (Winchester) Kingsbury, both of Boston. She was born in Boston, April 24, 1864.
2. BENJAMIN WARD APPLETON, born April 29, 1864. Married, Feb. 15, 1890, Bessie C. Miller of Buffalo, N. Y.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

i. GEORGE MILLER APPLETON.
ii. CATHERINE APPLETON.

KINGSBURY LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) Henry Kingsbury, born about 1615; settled at Ipswich, Mass. He was the father of

1. John Kingsbury.
2. Ephraim Kingsbury.
3. Samuel Kingsbury.
4. Joseph Kingsbury.
5. Thomas Kingsbury.

Mr. John Ward Dean says: "I have ascertained that Joseph, Samuel and Thomas Kingsbury were brothers of John and Ephraim, and sons of Henry." (N. E. Register, Vol. XIII, 1859, p. 157.)

Henry Kingsbury, the younger, was certainly in Ipswich, Mass., from 1658 to 1660. There is no evidence to show that the younger Henry Kingsbury was a son of the elder. (See the Kingsbury Genealogy by Mary Kingsbury Talcott, 1905.) Soon after this he removed to Rowley, where he was living from 1662 to 1667, and probably later. He finally settled at Haverhill, where he died Oct. 1, 1687. His wife, Susanna, died there Feb. 21, 1678-9. Their son,

(*Gen. II*) John Kingsbury of Haverhill, Mass., died there Jan. 23, 1670-71. His wife, Elizabeth Button, daughter of Matthias Button and wife Lettyce of Ipswich and Haverhill, survived him and married (2d), Dec. 11, 1672, Peter Green of Haverhill. She died Dec. 20, 1677.

John Kingsbury's brother, Ephraim Kingsbury, killed by the Indians May 2, 1676, is believed to have been the first person in Haverhill slain by the Indians in King Philip's War.

John Kingsbury's son,

(*Gen. III*) John Kingsbury, born at Rowley, Mass., July 22, 1667, resided at Newbury. Wife Hannah admitted to the church there Feb. 10, 1699-1700. Their sixth child,

(*Gen. IV*) Joseph Kingsbury of York, Me., married in 1722, Patience, daughter of Samuel and Patience (Bragdon)

Came, born in York, Aug. 30, 1702. Joseph Kingsbury died in 1762. His will, dated April 14, proved May 18, 1762.

Samuel Came, Esq., conveys to his son-in-law, Joseph Kingsbury, 50 acres in York, Jan. 10, 1737 (York deeds, Vol. XXVII, p. 108).

Joseph Kingsbury's second child,

(*Gen. V*) John Kingsbury, born in York, Me., Dec. 26, 1724, married there April 22, 1750, Sarah Carlisle, daughter of Lieut. John Carlisle. Their second child,

(*Gen. VI*) John Kingsbury, born in York, Jan. 17, 1753, married Jane Knight, Aug. 18, 1799, and lived at a place called "Birch Hill" in York, Me. Their son,

(*Gen. VII*) Henry Kingsbury, born in 1801, married in Kennebunk, Me., Dec. 22, 1825, Julia Ann Bourne, born in 1803, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Perkins) Bourne, of Arundel, now Kennebunk, Me. Henry Kingsbury was a shipbuilder, in partnership with his brother-in-law, George Bourne, and after the death of the latter, with Daniel Lord. He was for a time Inspector of Buildings at Portland, Me. He and his wife lived in the old Bourne mansion at Kennebunk and attended the Unitarian Church, of which Mrs. Kingsbury was a member.

Henry Kingsbury died in Boston, March 28, 1889, and his wife, Julia Ann Bourne, died in Kennebunk, in November, 1884.

CHILDREN OF HENRY AND JULIA ANN (BOURNE) KINGSBURY.

1. George Henry Kingsbury, born in Kennebunk, Me., March 4, 1827.
2. John Kingsbury, died in childhood.
3. Frank Kingsbury, died in childhood.
4. Edward Lincoln Kingsbury, born in 1835; died at Kennebunk, Me., Dec. 3, 1894. He was United States Consul at Algiers eight years, from 1861 to 1868 inclusive.

(*Gen. VIII*) George Henry Kingsbury, born in Kennebunk, Me., March 4, 1827; graduated at Bowdoin College, Me., in 1845. Practiced law in Boston, Mass., and there married (1st) Elizabeth Watts, who died in less than a year; married (2d), in Boston, Dec. 30, 1858, Marion Winchester, daughter

of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston. He died in Boston, March 24, 1899; she died there Jan. 14, 1902, and both were buried at Kennebunk, Me.

CHILDREN.

1. Florence Winchester Kingsbury, born in Boston, April 1, 1860; died there July 5, 1876.
2. Fanny Winchester Kingsbury, born in Boston, March 4, 1861.
3. Edmund Winchester Kingsbury, born in Boston, Sept. 12, 1862.
4. Marion Kingsbury, born in Boston, April 24, 1864.
5. Maud Lincoln Kingsbury, born in Boston, April 15, 1865.

(From "Henry Kingsbury and His Descendants," by John Ward Dean of Boston, N. E. Register, 1859, p. 157; also later, from the "Descendants of Henry Kingsbury," by Mary Kingsbury Talcott, in 1905.)

CAME LINEAGE.

Captain Samuel Came of York, Commissioner, 1729. The son of Arthur and Violet Came, as they deeded to him, their only son, in October, 1710, York. (York County, Me., Deeds, Vol. XI, pp. 8, 36, etc.)

Arthur Came was in York before 1678. (Vol. V, Part I, p. 26.)

Samuel Came bought land, 1695. (Vol. VI, p. 176.)

Patience Came, daughter of the above Samuel Came, of York, Me., married Elder Joseph Kingsbury of York, Me., in 1722.

John Kingsbury, son of Joseph and Patience (Came) Kingsbury, born at York, Me., Dec. 26, 1724; married there April 22, 1750, Sarah Carlisle, daughter of Lieut. John Carlisle. Their son,

John Kingsbury, born in 1753, married Jane Knight, Aug. 18, 1799. Their son,

Henry Kingsbury, born 1801, married, Dec. 22, 1825, Julia Ann Bourne. Their son,

George Henry Kingsbury, born in 1827, married, in Boston, Dec. 30, 1858, Marion Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester.

CARLISLE AND MAINE LINEAGES.

John Kingsbury, born at York, Me., Dec. 26, 1724. Married there April 22, 1750, Sarah Carlisle, daughter of Lieut. John Carlisle of York, Me.

John Carlisle was the son of Joseph and Rachel (Maine) Carlisle. (York Deeds, Vol. X, p. 171.)

Rachel Carlisle of York, widow of Joseph, with her two children, Joseph, John, sell land, April, 1720.

Rachel Carlisle was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Maine or Mains of North Yarmouth. She married (1st) Stephen Preble, son of Abraham and Judith Preble; he died, 1696. She married (2d) in 1697, Joseph Carlisle. (Preble Family, p. 11.)

April 17, 1732, Rachel Carlisle of York, widow, another daughter of John and Elizabeth Maine, deeds to John Smith of Boston rights in North Yarmouth. She was the mother of John Carlisle. (Carlisle-Carlile, in Old Times in North Yarmouth, p. 411.)

BOURNE LINEAGE.

John Bourne, born about 1706; died July 17, 1788; married Mary Cousens of Wells; she died Aug. 12, 1776. Their son,

Benjamin Bourne, born Nov. 3, 1732, while on a privateer in the Revolution, was captured and carried to Halifax, where he died in prison, Aug. 10, 1777.

He married (1st) in Wells, Dec. 11, 1755, Martha Maxwell, born Feb. 1, 1735; died 1764. Married (2d) Jan. 12, 1765, Hannah Sewall of York.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, MARTHA MAXWELL.

1. Martha Bourne, born May 31, 1757.
2. John Bourne, born Aug. 14, 1759.
3. Benjamin Bourne, born Dec. 9, 1761; died young.
4. Ebenezer Bourne, born July 14, 1764; died young.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, HANNAH SEWALL.

5. Samuel Bourne, born April 27, 1766.
6. Benjamin Bourne, born June 3, 1768.
7. Hannah Bourne, born Feb. 19, 1772.
8. Susanna Bourne, born Feb. 15, 1774.
9. Mary Bourne, born April 16, 1776.

John Bourne (*Benjamin, John*), born Aug. 14, 1759, son of Benjamin Bourne and Martha Maxwell; died June 6, 1837; married Elizabeth Perkins of Kennebunkport, Me. She was born Aug. 21, 1765; died Sept. 6, 1844. Their daughter,

Julia Ann Bourne, born 1803, died in Nov., 1884; married Henry Kingsbury of Kennebunk, Me., Dec. 22, 1825. Their son,

George Henry Kingsbury, born at Kennebunk, Me., March 4, 1827, married (2d) Marion Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester, both of Boston.

The above Bourne facts from Mrs. Charles B. Appleton of Boston, in 1904; from Town Clerk of Wells, Me., and from George Bourne of Kennebunk, Me.

PERKINS LINEAGE.

John Perkins, Sr., the immigrant ancestor, was probably born in Newent, Gloucestershire, England, in 1590; sailed from Bristol, England, Dec. 1, 1630, in ship *Lyon,* William Pierce, master, for Boston in America, with wife and five children. His fellow passengers were the afterward famous divine, Rev. Roger Williams, and others, twenty in all. They arrived at Nantasket, Feb. 5, 1631, and in Boston, Feb. 6, 1631. For about two years the Perkins family resided in Boston. John Perkins took freeman's oath May 18, 1631. He removed from Boston to Ipswich, in 1633. He was Deputy to the General Court, and present at its session in Boston, May 25, 1636. He was on the Grand Jury in 1648 and 1652.

John Perkins appears to have been one of the leading men of Ipswich, and was highly esteemed by his fellow townsmen. He died in 1654. His will, dated March 28, 1654, is in Probate office at Salem, Mass.

He married Judith ———, and she is made sole executrix of his will.

CHILDREN.

1. John Perkins, born 1614; died Dec. 14, 1686.
2. Thomas Perkins, born 1616; died May 7, 1686.
3. Elizabeth Perkins, born 1618; died 1700.
4. Mary Perkins, born 1620; died 1700.
5. Jacob Perkins, born 1624, died Jan. 29, 1700.
6. Lydia Perkins, born 1632; died about 1672.

(*Gen. II*) Deacon Thomas Perkins[2] (*John*[1]) was born in England in 1616. (Page 11 of Perkins Family.) Came to Boston with his family in 1631. In 1633 he removed to Ipswich, where he was made a freeman. At Ipswich he owned Sagamore Hill, a tract of land 170 feet high, probably granted to him by the town. From Ipswich he removed to Topsfield, where he married, about 1640, Phebe Gould, daughter of Zaccheus Gould of Topsfield. She was born in England and baptized at Hemel Hempstead, Sept. 20, 1620. On their marriage her father gave them 150 acres of land. Thomas Perkins was chosen Deacon of the Topsfield Church about 1677, was Selectman in March, 1656-7, March, 1675-6, and Tythingman in 1677 and 1678. He was also on many town committees.

He died May 7, 1686, leaving a large estate to his wife and sons. His will of Dec. 12, 1685, was proved at Boston, Sept. 10, 1686.

Their sixth child: (Page 9, Part II.)

(*Gen. III*) Elisha Perkins[3] (*John*[1], *Thomas*[2]), born in Topsfield, Mass., about 1656. Married (1st), Feb. 23, 1680, Katherine Towne, daughter of Jacob and Katherine (Symonds) Town. She was born Feb. 25, 1662, died July 2, 1714. Married (2d), April 4, 1715, Elizabeth (Knight) Towne, widow of Samuel Towne, his first wife's uncle. She died May 17, 1752. He died Feb. 18, 1741.

He held many of the public offices of the town and county, was Clerk of the Selectmen for 1705-6-8; in 1708-11-17-20-23 was Fence Viewer; Grand Juryman in 1708-9-15-18-21-25; was one of the Selectmen 1710-12-16-24; and Surveyor

of Highways in 1717. His eldest son by his first wife, Katherine Towne,

(*Gen. IV*) Thomas Perkins[4] (*John*[1], *Thomas*[2], *Elisha*[3]), born in Topsfield, Mass., Oct. 15, 1681; married Mary Wildes of Topsfield, Nov. 26, 1719. She died at Kennebunkport, Me., April 1, 1742.

He went from Topsfield to Kennebunkport, Me., in 1719. He died in Kennebunkport in 1761. Their son,

(*Gen. V*) Thomas Perkins[5] (*John*[1], *Thomas*[2], *Elisha*[3], *Thomas*[4]) was born in Topsfield, Mass., June 28, 1724, and was carried to Kennebunkport by his parents. He married (2d) Susannah Hovey. His daughter,

Elizabeth Perkins, married (1st) Israel Wildes; (2d) John Bourne.

(*Gen. VI*) Julia Ann Bourne[6] (*John*[1], *Thomas*[2], *Elisha*[3], *Thomas*[4], *Thomas*[5]), born 1803, daughter of John and Betsey (Perkins) Bourne; married Henry Kingsbury of Kennebunk, Me.

Maine Hist. Coll., Vol. 8, p. 388, for biographical notice of Hon. Edward Emerson Bourne of Kennebunkport, Me.

He was second son of John and Elizabeth (Perkins) Bourne. John Bourne married Elizabeth (Perkins) Wildes, widow of Israel Wildes. They had six children. (P. 387.)

1. Israel Wildes Bourne, born 1795.
2. Edward Emerson Bourne, born 1797.
3. Thomas Bourne.
4. George W. Bourne.
5. Julia Ann Bourne, born 1803; married Henry Kingsbury, Dec. 22, 1825; died in 1884.
6. Olive Bourne, born——; married Capt. Ivory Lord.

(From "The Family of John Perkins of Ipswich," by George A. Perkins, M.D., published in 1889.)

FANNY (WINCHESTER) HOTCHKISS.

(*Gen. VII*) Fanny Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Oct. 9, 1838. Went to Florence, Italy, with her mother and sisters;

was educated there and returned to the United States in 1856. Married in New Haven, May 9, 1866, to Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, Conn., at the house of Mrs. Roger Sherman Baldwin, then the home of her sister, Mrs. Simeon E. Baldwin, by the Rev. Edwin Harwood, D.D., Rector of Trinity Episcopal Church. (Trinity Church Records.) Miss Winchester's mother and three sisters were in Italy at the time of her wedding, therefore only her sister, Mrs. Baldwin, her aunt, Catherine Mears of Boston, and her cousin, Mary Mears (afterwards Mrs. Gen. Francis Osborne) of Boston, were present.

Fanny Winchester was baptized in the English Church at Florence, Italy, in the Grand Duchy of Tuscany, May 17, 1855, by the Rev. Henry O'Neill, Chaplain. She was confirmed at St. Paul's Church, Boston, Mass. (Rev. Alexander Vinton, Rector), by Bishop Eastburn of Massachusetts, Sunday, April 26, 1857.

Elected a member of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America, Feb., 1897. This society was organized in New York, May 23, 1890; incorporated April 13, 1891. It was the first society of its kind in the United States. Elected a member of the New England Historic Genealogical Society of Boston, Mass., in April, 1898. A member of "Our Society" of New Haven, Conn., since 1866.

[Mrs. Hotchkiss died at her home in New Haven, Jan. 24, 1912, after a short illness, and was buried in the Grove Street Cemetery. The funeral was held from her late residence, 238 Church Street, New Haven, Conn., Jan. 27, 1912.]

From the *Morning Journal-Courier* of Jan. 25, 1912:

MRS. JUSTUS STREET HOTCHKISS.

The many friends of Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss will be deeply pained to learn of her death, which occurred yesterday afternoon at a quarter past four o'clock at her residence, 238 Church Street, after an illness of little more than a fortnight.

Mrs. Fanny Winchester Hotchkiss was the daughter of the late Edmund Winchester and Harriette Mears, his wife, of Boston, the city of her birth. Her girlhood, from the time she was seven years old, was lived in Florence, Italy, where her mother then resided. For this home of her childhood,

where she spent the next ten years, during the stirring times preceding the establishment of the kingdom of Italy, Mrs. Hotchkiss had a never fading affection and many times in after-travels enjoyed revisiting its scenes. After her return to America, she lived first in Boston and then in New Haven, where, in 1866, she married Mr. Justus Street Hotchkiss, the son of Lucius Hotchkiss of New Haven. They were married at the residence of Mrs. Roger Sherman Baldwin, the widow of the first Governor Baldwin (the present Whitney house on Church Street), which was then the home of Mrs. Hotchkiss' sister, the wife of the present Governor Baldwin.

They had in 1879 one daughter, Fanny Winchester Hotchkiss, who died in infancy.

Mrs. Hotchkiss was from the time of her marriage a member of Center Church, where for many generations her husband's ancestors had been members, among them the Rev. Nicholas Street, its second pastor. In the work of this church Mrs. Hotchkiss had always a deep interest, one of the most recent expressions of it being the furnishing of the pastor's study in the new Center Church house.

She was one of the founders of the Home for the Friendless and for many years a devoted member of its board of directors.

Mrs. Hotchkiss was always a great reader and especially interested in the study of genealogy, having at the time of her last illness just completed a genealogy of her husband's and her own families, which at the time of her death has nearly gone through the press for private circulation.

Mrs. Hotchkiss had a genius for friendships. For many years she has been a much loved and devoted friend of the Lowell House Mothers' Club, to whom her annual banquet, at first in her own home and then at Lowell House, has been one of the happiest occasions in the lives of its members. Though the recipients of Mrs. Hotchkiss' generosity are scattered far and wide, it was in her own home that she chiefly expressed her boundless love for her friends by a delightful hospitality and heartiness of welcome which none who has been blessed by it, either in her summer home in the Adirondacks or in her New Haven home, can ever forget. She delighted to heap tokens of her affection upon her friends. She was so ideal a mistress that she leaves none who more deeply mourn her loss than the keepers of her own household, some of whom have been with her more than a score of years. A true and loyal friend, a devoted wife, a Christian of rare humility and deep religious faith, Mrs. Hotchkiss' life was an inspiration to all who knew her, and to a large circle of friends her death is a loss which cannot easily be borne.

JUSTUS STREET HOTCHKISS.

Justus Street Hotchkiss, son of Lucius Hotchkiss, a retired merchant of New Haven, and his first wife, Maria Melcher Street; grandson of Justin Washington Street of East

Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss.

Née Fanny Winchester.

1887.

Justus Street Hotchkiss.

Of New Haven, Conn.

1890.

Haven and Anne Whidden of Portsmouth, N. H., a lineal descendant of the Rev. Nicholas Street, second pastor of the First or Center Church of New Haven, Conn., from 1659 to 1674, when he died in the service of the church.

Justus Street Hotchkiss was born in New Haven, Feb. 4, 1831; a merchant of the firm of DeForest & Hotchkiss. While for many years he was much engrossed in business, still he found time, during the summers, for his favorite diversions,—hunting and fishing in the Adirondacks in the days when Paul Smith's was a very small house with about twenty guests, and when the woods were full of deer, and the streams and lakes of fish, the weird cry of the loon being still an ordinary sound in that region. Later Mr. Hotchkiss and his wife became constant visitors, for many years, of the Hygeia Hotel, Old Point Comfort, Va., while General Armstrong was still President of Hampton Institute, and the inspiration, life and glory of the school he had founded. He was a warm friend of Mr. Hotchkiss and always made the latter's home in New Haven his resting place when he came to that city on business of the Institute. From 1899 and during the next seven or eight years Mr. Hotchkiss spent much time abroad, traveling with his wife and niece through many of the most interesting countries of the old world. He retired from business about 1873. Became Director of the Second National Bank of New Haven, Conn., in 1880, when he was elected to fill the vacancy caused by his father's death. Chairman of the Society's Committee and also a member of the Standing Committee of the Center Church of New Haven for many years, and for a long time Superintendent of the New Lebanon Mission connected with the Center Church. He resigned the chairmanship of the Society's Committee of Center Church the last of December, 1908, after having served on this committee thirty-eight years.

In 1882 Mr. Hotchkiss received the degree of LL.B. from Yale University. He is a member of the Graduates Club, also of the Country and Lawn Clubs of New Haven, of the Country Club, Lakewood, N. J.; and of the St. Regis Yacht Club and the St. Regis Golf Club at Paul Smith's in the Adirondacks,

where Mr. Hotchkiss has a camp on Spitfire Lake. He was married, May 9, 1866, in New Haven, Conn., by the Rev. Edwin Harwood, D.D., to FANNY WINCHESTER, daughter of the late Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston, Mass. (Trinity Church Records.)

The only child of Justus Street and Fanny (Winchester) Hotchkiss, a daughter, named Fanny Winchester Hotchkiss, born in New Haven, July 26, 1879, died there July 31, 1879, and was laid in the Grove Street Cemetery.

A mural tablet to the memory of Rev. Nicholas Street was placed in the Center Church about 1881 by Justus Street Hotchkiss and his sister, Maria Louisa (Hotchkiss) Mulock. A memorial window in memory of Lucius Hotchkiss and of the infant daughter of Justus Street and Fanny (Winchester) Hotchkiss was placed in Center Church in 1899.

STREET LINEAGE (IN ENGLAND).

Richard Street of Stogumber, Somersetshire, England, clothier. Will dated Sept. 10, 1591; proved Sept. 30, 1592.

Nicholas Street, Sr. Will proved May 3, 1610. Married Mary ——.

Nicholas Street, Jr., gentleman, of Bridgewater, County Somerset, England. Will dated Nov. 1, 1616; proved Feb. 13, 1617. Married (1st) at Bridgewater, Jan. 16, 1602, Susannah Gilberd. She was buried Feb. 22, 1603; married (2d) Mary ——. Will dated July 16, 1625; proved Feb. 6, 1626.

Rev. Nicholas Street, son of Nicholas Street and his first wife, Susannah Gilberd (or Gilbert), baptized at Bridgewater, Jan. 29, 1603; married twice.

(Street Genealogy, by Mrs. Mary A. Street of Exeter, N. H., 1895.)

STREET LINEAGE (IN AMERICA).

(*Gen. I*) Rev. Nicholas Street, born in Bridgewater, County Somerset, England; baptized there Jan. 29, 1603; son of Nicholas, Jr., and Susannah (Gilberd or Gilbert) Street. He

Dining Room, Camp Aloha in the Adirondacks.

Summer Home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss.
1904.

lived in an old and once royal city, Taunton, and graduated at Oxford University, 1624-5; ordained and installed at Taunton, Mass., 1637-8; was at Center or First Church, New Haven, Conn., from 1659 to 1674, and died while in the service of the church. He married twice. Where or when his first wife died is unknown. He married (2d) Mrs. Mary Newman, widow of Governor Francis Newman of New Haven.

(*Gen. II*) Rev. Samuel Street, born 1635; died Jan. 17, 1717. Graduated at Harvard College, 1664. Pastor of the First Church in Wallingford, Conn., for 45 years; died there in 1717. Married Anna Miles, Nov. 3, 1664, daughter of Richard and Katherine (Constable) Miles. She died July 19, 1730, aged 91.

(*Gen. III*) Lieut. Samuel Street, born July 27, 1667, in New Haven, Conn. Estate administered Feb. 18, 1719-20. Married twice; (1st) July 14, 1690, to Hannah Glover, born Oct. 10, 1672; died July 3, 1715; daughter of John Glover of New Haven.

(*Gen. IV*) Capt. Elnathan Street, born Sept. 2, 1695, son of Lieut. Samuel and Hannah (Glover) Street; married, Feb. 6, 1722, Damaris Hull, daughter of Dr. Benjamin and Elizabeth (Andrews) Hull of Wallingford, Conn.; died Nov. 30, 1787, aged 92. She died May 22, 1787, aged 87.

(*Gen. V*) Rev. Nicholas Street, born Feb. 21, 1730, son of Capt. Elnathan and Damaris (Hull) Street. Graduated at Yale College 1751. Ordained Pastor of East Haven Congregational Church, Oct. 8, 1755; died in the service of the church, Oct. 8, 1806; fifty-one years pastor of the church. Married (1st), Dec. 6, 1758, Desire Thompson; married (2d), April 24, 1766, Hannah Austin.

(*Gen. VI*) Justin Washington Street, born in East Haven, Conn., Nov. 4, 1777; baptized Nov. 9, 1777; son of the Rev. Nicholas Street and his second wife Hannah Austin. He was married, Nov. 13, 1802, by the Rev. Joseph Buckminster to Anne Whidden, daughter of Michael Whidden, Jr., and Mary Whidden of Portsmouth, N. H. He died suddenly May 30, 1830, probably in East Haven, Conn. Anne Whidden, born

in Portsmouth, N. H.; baptized April 19, 1778; died in New Haven, Conn., April 16, 1857.

(*Gen. VII*) Maria Melcher Street, born in East Haven, Conn., Jan. 17, 1807, daughter of Justin Washington and Anne (Whidden) Street; married, Oct. 18, 1827, Lucius Hotchkiss of New Haven, Conn. She died Sept. 2, 1833.

Lucius Hotchkiss was born in New Haven, Conn., March 1, 1803; died there Nov. 29, 1880. A retired merchant and a man of large property. Director for many years and until his death, in 1880, of the Second National Bank of New Haven, Conn. He married (1st), Oct. 18, 1827, Maria Melcher Street, daughter of Justin Washington and Anne (Whidden) Street of East Haven, Conn. She died Sept. 2, 1833. He married (2d), Oct., 1834, Catherine Ladd Street, born Sept. 14, 1808, sister of his first wife. This lady brought up his two children and was the only mother they ever knew.

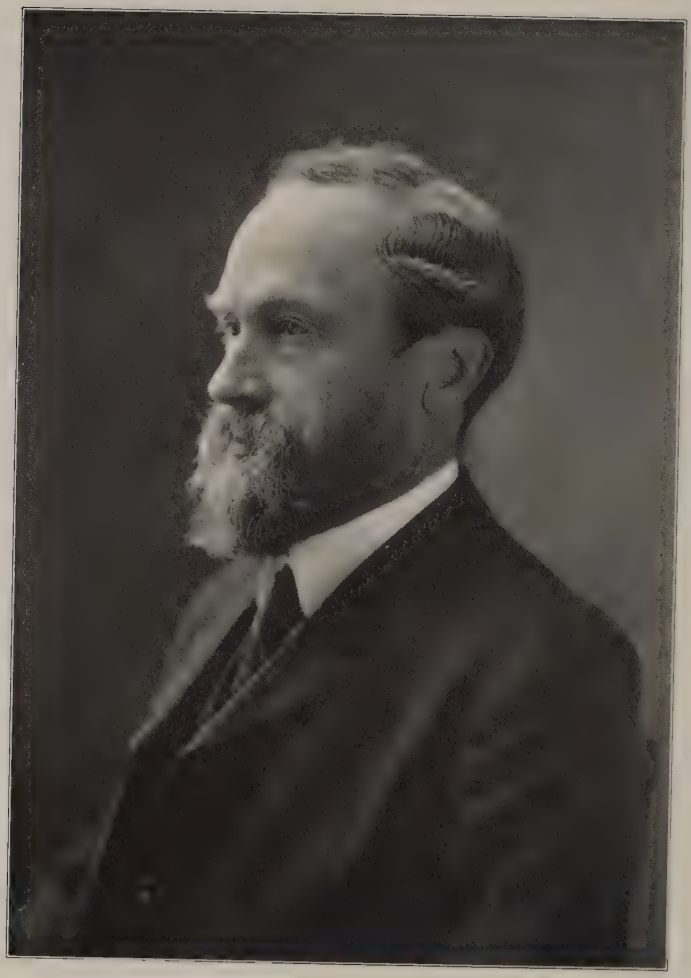
(*Gen. VIII*) Justus Street Hotchkiss, son of Lucius and Maria Melcher (Street) Hotchkiss, was born in New Haven, Conn., Feb. 4, 1831; married there, May 9, 1866, Fanny Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston.

(*Gen. IX*) Fanny Winchester Hotchkiss, only child of Justus Street and Fanny (Winchester) Hotchkiss, was born in New Haven, Conn., July 26, 1879; died there July 31, 1879.

(From Street Genealogy, by Mrs. Mary E. Street of Exeter, N. H.)

SUSAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Susan Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston, Mass., was born there January 29, 1840; baptized in the English Church at Florence, Grand Duchy of Tuscany, Italy, May 17, 1855, by the Rev. Henry O'Neill, Chaplain. When very young was taken to Florence, Italy, where she was partly educated, but completed her studies on her return to the United States at the school of Mr. Williams, in Boston. She spoke Italian and French like a



Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut.

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native, was handsome and extremely attractive. At school her most intimate friend was Julia Ward Howe, afterwards Mrs. Anagnos, whose husband, a Greek, was so devoted to the cause of the blind at South Boston. Susan Winchester was married, Oct. 19, 1865, at the Arlington Street Church of Boston to Simeon E. Baldwin of New Haven, Conn., a prominent lawyer. They were married by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., and a reception took place afterwards at the home of Mrs. George H. Kingsbury of Boston, eldest sister of the bride. (Marriages in Boston, Vol. 1849-1869, No. 2012.)

SIMEON E. BALDWIN.

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Connecticut and Governor of Connecticut in 1911 and 1912.

Simeon Eben Baldwin of New Haven, Conn., born there Feb. 5, 1840. Graduated at Yale College, 1861; LL.D. Harvard College 1891; a lawyer, Professor of Constitutional Law, Yale Law School, 1872; President of American Bar Association, 1890; President New Haven Colony Historical Society, 1884, which position he held for twelve years, resigning the office Nov. 30, 1896; appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut, Nov., 1893, by Governor Luzon B. Morris of Connecticut; elected a corresponding member of the Massachusetts Historical Society, April, 1900; elected President of the International Law Association in 1900, being the second American gentleman on whom this honor has been conferred. Judge Baldwin went to Europe in July, 1900, to preside at the meetings of this association. He was appointed Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Connecticut by Governor Woodruff, and confirmed unanimously by both House and Senate, Jan. 31, 1907. This position Judge Baldwin resigned in 1910. Nov. 8, 1910, he was elected Governor of Connecticut, and June 7, 1911, Columbia University conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

Judge Simeon E. Baldwin is one of the most eminent and distinguished lawyers of the State of Connecticut. Until

appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut, his practice was one of the largest of any lawyer in the State. Since 1868 he has been Professor in the Yale Law School, the interest and welfare of which he has done much to promote, and the high standing of the Yale Law School, even its continuance to-day, as connected with Yale University, is in a great measure due to the efforts of Mr. Baldwin. He is widely known, and no man is more respected and admired by those best qualified to express an opinion upon his qualifications as a jurist. He has the highest reputation at the Bar, and comes from an historic family, frequently distinguished for talent and character. He is a member of the United Church, and most generous and loyal to it. He married, in Boston, Mass., Oct. 19, 1865, Susan Winchester, daughter of the late Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston. Married by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D.

Governor Simeon E. Baldwin was elected President of the Society for the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes at the meeting of the society held in Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 8, 1911.

BALDWIN ANCESTRY.

Roger Sherman Baldwin of New Haven, Conn. Born there Jan. 4, 1793; died there Feb. 19, 1863; graduated at Yale College, 1811; LL.D., Trinity and Yale Colleges; lawyer; Governor of Connecticut, 1843-4; U. S. Senator, 1847-51; member of the National Peace Commission, 1861; married, Oct. 25, 1820, Emily, daughter of Enoch and Anna (Pitkin) Perkins of Hartford, Conn. Son of

Simeon Baldwin of New Haven, Conn. Born in Norwich, Conn., Dec. 14, 1761; died in New Haven, May 26, 1851; graduated at Yale College in 1781; Mayor of New Haven; Representative in Congress; Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut; married, July 29, 1787, Rebecca Sherman, daughter of Roger Sherman, U. S. Senator, signer of the Declaration of Independence. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin.

1899-1900.

Ebenezer Baldwin of Norwich, Conn. Born there May 7, 1710; died there May 2, 1792; married Bethiah Barker, daughter of John Barker of Marshfield, Mass. Son of

Thomas Baldwin of Norwich, Conn., born there 1662; died there Sept. 16, 1741; married 1692, Abigail, daughter of John Lay of Lyme, Conn. Son of

John Baldwin of Norwich, Conn. Born in County Bucks, England; died in Norwich, Conn.; married, April 25, 1653, Hannah, daughter of Thomas Birchard.

(Partly from American Ancestry, by Joel Munsell & Sons, Albany, N. Y., 1893, Vol. VIII.)

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN OF SIMEON E. AND SUSAN (WINCHESTER) BALDWIN.

1. FLORENCE WINCHESTER BALDWIN, born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 10, 1868; died at Plymouth Hill, Conn., Sept. 16, 1872, and was laid in the Grove Street Cemetery.
2. ROGER SHERMAN BALDWIN, a lineal descendant of Roger Sherman, signer of the Declaration of Independence, was born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 17, 1869. Graduated, with high honors, at Yale University, June, 1890, and at the Yale Law School in 1893. Admitted to the bar, June, 1893. On account of ill health, was obliged to give up practicing law, after having won a brilliant suit before the Supreme Court. He then studied forestry at Yale University and was for several years with the field service on the Pacific Coast of the Federal Bureau of Forestry. The following is a notice of his marriage to Olive Louise Porter of Houghton, Mich., May 3, 1910:

   "Married at Holy Trinity Church, West Palm Beach, Florida, May 3d, 1910, by the Rev. H. Ashton Henry, Rector of Holy Trinity, Mr. Roger Sherman Baldwin, son of Ex-Chief Justice Baldwin of Connecticut, to Miss Olive Louise Porter, niece of Mr. and Mrs. John Senter of Houghton, Michigan."

   Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sherman Baldwin are now living in St. Augustine, Fla., which place they expect to make their home (1911).
3. HELEN HARRIET BALDWIN, born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 27, 1872; married there, at the home of her father, March 4, 1899, to Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass., by the Rev. Dr. T. T. Munger of the United Church of New Haven, assisted by Dr. Gilman's only brother, the Rev. Dr. Bradley Gilman of Springfield, Mass. Miss Mary S. Packard of Brooklyn, N. Y., daughter of the late Professor Packard of Yale University, was maid of honor, and Miss Margaret D. Whitney, daughter of the

late Prof. William D. Whitney of Yale, and Miss Alice J. Walker were the bridesmaids. Dr. Gilman's best man was Dr. Frederick C. Cobb of Boston, and the ushers were the bride's brother, Roger Sherman Baldwin, and Dr. William L. Smith of Boston. A large reception followed the wedding and many of Miss Baldwin's relatives from Boston and New York were present. Among the guests was Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker of Hartford, then a very old lady.

Helen Harriet Baldwin Gilman is a life member of the Massachusetts Colonial Dames of America; elected in 1908. Also a member of The Order of the Colonial Governors; elected in 1909.

Warren Randall Gilman was born in Boston, Mass., Dec. 14, 1861, the son of Thomas Randall Gilman and Ruth Matthews Wentworth. He graduated at Harvard University in 1884, and received his degree at the Medical School of Harvard University in 1888. Settled in Worcester, Mass., in 1891, where he and his family now live (1911). Dr. Gilman has only one brother, the Rev. Bradley Gilman.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

i. CHARLOTTE WENTWORTH GILMAN, born in Worcester, Mass., Jan. 24, 1900; baptized there in the First Unitarian Church, June 3, 1900, by the Rev. Austin Gower.

ii. BRADLEY BALDWIN GILMAN, born in Worcester, Mass., March 31, 1904; baptized at his home in Worcester, Monday, Dec. 26, 1905, by the Rev. Bradley Gilman.

SHERMAN LINEAGE.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman of Worcester, Mass., fifth in descent from Roger Sherman.

Roger Sherman was born in Newton, Mass., April 29, 1721; was a citizen of and died in New Haven, Conn., July 23, 1793; United States Senator. He signed the Declaration of Independence July 4, 1776. (Part I, p. 68, Prescott Memorial.)

HELEN HARRIET BALDWIN, born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 27, 1872; married in New Haven to Dr. WARREN RANDALL GILMAN of Worcester, Mass., March 4, 1899. Daughter of

SIMEON EBEN BALDWIN, elected Governor of Connecticut for two years, Nov. 8, 1910. Born in New Haven, Conn., Feb. 5, 1840; married in Boston, Mass., Oct. 19, 1865, by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., to SUSAN WINCHESTER, born in

Mrs. Warren Randall Gilman.

Née Helen Harriet Baldwin,
Daughter of Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut.
1898-9.

Residence of Gov. Roger Sherman Baldwin of Connecticut.

Now the Home of Mrs. William D. Whitney.

1911.

Boston, Jan. 29, 1840, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston, Mass. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut in 1843-4. Born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married, Oct. 25, 1820, to Emilia Perkins of Hartford, Conn., born Jan. 1, 1796; died in New Haven, Conn., July 29, 1874. Son of

Simeon Baldwin of New Haven, Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut; born in Norwich, Conn., Dec. 14, 1761; died in New Haven, Conn., May 26, 1851; married, July 29, 1787, Rebecca Sherman, daughter of Roger Sherman and his second wife, Rebecca Prescott. Rebecca Sherman was born Feb. 22, 1764; died Sept., 1795.

Roger Sherman, the son of William, son of Joseph, son of Capt. John Sherman, who came from Dedham, in England, to Watertown about 1635. Roger Sherman settled at New Milford, Conn., June, 1743. He married (1) Elizabeth Hartwell of Stoughton, Mass., by whom he had seven children. She died Oct., 1760. In 1754 he entered on the practice of the law, but discontinued it when appointed Judge of the Common Pleas Court. He removed to New Haven in 1761, and in 1763 married (2d) Rebecca Prescott of Danvers, Mass. (New England Genealogical Register, Vol. VII, p. 308.)

PITKIN LINEAGE.

William Pitkin, born in Hartford, Conn., April 30, 1694; died in East Hartford, Conn., Oct. 1, 1769. He was Governor of Connecticut from 1766 until 1769; Lieutenant Governor 1754-1766. (Appleton's Encyclopedia of American Biography, Vol. V, p. 32; Pitkin Genealogy, p. 12; N. E. Hist. Gen. Register, Vol. XXXII, p. 294.)

Helen Harriet Baldwin married Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass., March 4, 1899, in New Haven, Conn. Daughter of

Simeon E. Baldwin, elected Governor of Connecticut for two years, Nov. 8, 1910; married in Boston, Mass., Oct. 19,

1865, by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., to Susan Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester of Boston. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut in 1843-4. Born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married, Oct. 25, 1820, to Emilia Perkins of Hartford, Conn., born Jan. 1, 1796; died in New Haven, July 29, 1874. Daughter of

Enoch Perkins of Hartford, Conn. Born Aug. 16, 1760; died Aug. 28, 1828; married, Sept. 20, 1787, to Anna Pitkin, born in Farmington, Conn., Feb. 19, 1764; died in Hartford, Conn., Oct. 13, 1852. Daughter of

Timothy Pitkin, born Jan. 13, 1727; died July 8, 1812; married, Aug. 9, 1753, Temperance Clap, born April 29, 1732; died May 19, 1772. Son of

William Pitkin, Governor of Connecticut from 1766 to 1769. Born in Hartford, Conn., April 30, 1694; died in East Hartford, Conn., Oct. 1, 1769; married, May 7, 1724, Mary Woodbridge, baptized June 19, 1692; died Feb. 17, 1766.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, sixth in descent from Gov. William Pitkin of Connecticut.

DUDLEY LINEAGE.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, ninth in descent from Gov. Thomas Dudley of Massachusetts.

Thomas Dudley was born in England, probably Northampton, in 1576. Died in Roxbury, Mass., July 31, 1653. In 1634 he was elected Governor of Massachusetts Colony and was Governor three times afterwards, in 1640, 1645 and 1650. (N. E. Hist. Gen. Register, Vol. X, pp. 130, 134.)

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, wife of Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass. Daughter of

Gov. Simeon E. and Susan (Winchester) Baldwin of New Haven, Conn. Son of

Gov. Roger Sherman Baldwin of Connecticut, born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married Oct. 25, 1820, Emilia Perkins of Hartford,

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William Pitkin, Governor of Connecticut from 1766 until 1769. Born in Hartford, Conn., April 30, 1694; died in East Hartford, Conn., Oct. 1, 1769; married, May 7, 1724, Mary Woodbridge, baptized June 19, 1692; died in East Hartford, Conn., Feb. 17, 1766; daughter of Timothy Woodbridge, born at Barford, St. Martins (Wilts), Jan. 13, 1656; died in Hartford, Conn., April 30, 1732; married, about 1685, Mehitable Wyllys, born about 1658; died in Hartford, Conn., Dec. 21, 1698. Son of

John Woodbridge, born 1613; died March 7, 1695; married, 1639, Mercy Dudley, born Sept. 27, 1621; died in Newbury, July 1, 1691. Daughter of

Thomas Dudley, Governor of Massachusetts Colony in 1634, 1640, 1645 and 1650. He married, in England, Dorothy Yorke, born 1582; she died Dec. 27, 1643.

WYLLYS LINEAGE.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman of Worcester, Mass., ninth in descent from Gov. George Wyllys of Connecticut.

George Wyllys, born in Fenny Compton, County Warwick, England, in 1611; died in Hartford, Conn., March 9, 1645. He was Deputy Governor in 1641, and Governor of Connecticut in 1642. (New England Genealogical Register, Vol. XXXVII, pp. 33, 36.)

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, wife of Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass. Daughter of

Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut and his wife Susan Winchester of Boston, Mass. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut, 1843-4. Born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married, Oct. 25, 1820, Emilia Perkins of Hartford, Conn., born Jan. 1, 1796; died in New Haven, July 29, 1874. Daughter of

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Timothy Woodbridge, born Jan. 13, 1656; died April 30, 1732; married, about 1685, Mehitable Wyllys, born about 1658; died in Hartford, Conn., Dec. 21, 1698. Daughter of

Samuel Wyllys, born in England, 1632; died May 30, 1709; married Ruth Haynes; died, time unknown. Son of

George Wyllys, Governor of Connecticut in 1642. Married Mary Smith.

HAYNES LINEAGE.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman of Worcester, Mass., ninth in descent from Gov. John Haynes of Connecticut.

John Haynes, born in Cofford Hall, Essex, England, in 1594, was a citizen of and died in Hartford, Conn., March 1, 1654. Was Assistant Governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, 1634; was Governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, 1635; chosen May 6 and served one year; first Governor of Connecticut Colony, April 11, 1639, and held the office every second year. (N. E. Hist. Gen. Register, Vol. XXIV, p. 125; Appleton's Encyclopædia of American Biography, Vol. III, p. 145.)

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, wife of Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass. Daughter of

Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut and Susan (Winchester) Baldwin. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut, 1643-4. Born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married, Oct. 25, 1820, Emilia Perkins of Hartford, Conn., born Jan. 1, 1796; died in New Haven, July 29, 1874. Daughter of

Enoch Perkins of Hartford, Conn. Born Aug. 16, 1760; died Aug. 28, 1828; married, Sept. 20, 1787, to Anna Pitkin, born in Farmington, Conn., Feb. 19, 1764; died in Hartford, Conn., Oct. 13, 1852. Daughter of

Timothy Pitkin, born Jan. 13, 1727; died July 8, 1812; married, Aug. 9, 1753, Temperance Clap, born April 29, 1732; died May 19, 1772. Son of

William Pitkin, Governor of Connecticut from 1766 until 1769. Born in Hartford, Conn., April 30, 1694; died in East Hartford, Conn., Oct. 1, 1769; married, May 7, 1724, Mary Woodbridge, baptized June 19, 1692; died in East Hartford, Conn., Feb. 17, 1766. Daughter of

Timothy Woodbridge, born Jan. 13, 1656; died April 30, 1732; married about 1685, Mehitable Wyllys, born about 1658; died in Hartford, Conn., Dec. 21, 1698. Daughter of

Samuel Wyllys, born in England in 1632; died May 30, 1709; married Ruth Haynes; died, time unknown. Daughter of

John Haynes, Governor of Massachusetts Bay Colony, 1635; first Governor of Connecticut Colony, April 11, 1639, and held the office every second year; married Mabel Harlackenden, born Sept. 27, 1614; died 1655.

BRADFORD LINEAGE.

Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman of Worcester, Mass., tenth in descent from Governor William Bradford of Massachusetts.

William Bradford, second Governor of Plymouth Colony, was born in Austerfield, Yorkshire, England, in March, 1588; died in Plymouth, Mass., May 9, 1657. He was elected Governor of Massachusetts, April 21, 1621. (Appleton's Encyclopædia of American Biography, Vol. I, pp. 348, 349.)

Helen Harriet Baldwin married in New Haven, Conn., March 4, 1899, Dr. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass. Daughter of

Simeon Eben Baldwin, elected Governor of Connecticut, Nov. 8, 1910; married in Boston, Mass., Oct. 19, 1865, to Susan Winchester of Boston. Son of

Roger Sherman Baldwin, Governor of Connecticut, 1843-4. Born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4, 1793; died in New Haven, Feb. 19, 1863; married, Oct. 25, 1820, Emilia Perkins of Hartford, Conn., born Jan. 1, 1796; died in New Haven, Conn., July 29, 1874. Daughter of

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Timothy Pitkin, born Jan. 13, 1727; died July 8, 1812; married, Aug. 9, 1753, Temperance Clap, born April 29, 1732; died May 19, 1772. Daughter of

Thomas Clap, born June 26, 1703; died Jan. 7, 1767; married, Nov. 23, 1727, Mary Whiting, born in 1712; died Aug. 9, 1736. Daughter of

Samuel Whiting, born in Hartford, Conn., April 22, 1670; died Sept. 27, 1725; married, Sept. 4, 1696, Elizabeth Adams, born Feb. 23, 1681; died 1766. Daughter of

William Adams, born May 27, 1650; died Aug. 17, 1685; married, March 29, 1680, Alice Bradford. Daughter of

William Bradford, born in Plymouth, Mass., June 16, 1624; died Feb. 20, 1703-4; married Alice Richards, who died Dec. 12, 1671. Son of

William Bradford, elected Governor of Massachusetts, April 21, 1621.

WILLIAM BRADFORD.

William Bradford, elected Governor of Plymouth Colony, April 21, 1621. He was reëlected to the office of Governor every year until 1657, except during five years, 1633, '34, '36, '38, '44. (N. E. Register, Vol. IV, pp. 39-40.) Married (1st) at Amsterdam, Holland, Dec. 10, 1613, to Dorothy May. (Marriage Record in Pui Book at Amsterdam.) The "intention" at Amsterdam is not dated, but follows one dated Nov. 9, 1613. The intentions of marriage were published at Leyden, 16, 23 and 30 Nov., 1613. Dorothy May was from Wisbeach in England, and 16 years old, when she married William Bradford. (From the Mayflower Marriage Records at Leyden and Amsterdam, pp. 115, 116; Mayflower Descendant, Vol. IX.)

William Bradford was born in England in 1588. Dr. Mather informs us, writes Mr. Hunter, that Gov. Bradford was born to some estate, that his parents died when he was young, and that he was brought up by his grandfather and uncles. About 1608 he went to Holland, joined the Pilgrims and came to Plymouth in the *Mayflower* in 1620, accompanied by his wife, whose maiden name was Dorothy May. This lady never reached Plymouth, but was accidentally drowned on Dec. 7, 1620, during the absence of her husband on an examining tour in Massachusetts Bay, and while the *Mayflower* remained in Cape Cod harbor. She was the first English female who died in Plymouth, and the first whose death is recorded in New England.

In 1621, after the death of Gov. Carver, William Bradford was chosen Governor in his place. In 1623 (Aug. 14) he married Alice (Carpenter) Southworth, widow of Edward Southworth, and daughter of Alexander Carpenter of Wington, Somersetshire, who was at Leyden with the Pilgrims. Alice Carpenter was born about 1590 and died March 26, 1670. They had three children: William, Mercy and Joseph. Gov. Bradford died May 9, 1657. (From Gov. S. E. Baldwin, and Vol. IV, pp. 39, 40, N. E. Genealogical Register.)

References for authorities for lines of descent of Helen Harriet (Baldwin) Gilman, wife of Dr. Gilman of Worcester, Mass., and daughter of Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin of Connecticut and Susan Winchester of Boston, Mass., are given below. These lines of descent also belong to Gov. Baldwin's only son, Roger Sherman Baldwin, now living in St. Augustine, Fla. (1911). They are lineal descendants from Roger Sherman, signer of the Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1776; from Gov. William Pitkin of Connecticut, 1766-69; from Gov. George Wyllys of Connecticut, 1642; from Gov. John Haynes of Massachusetts Bay Colony, 1635, and of the Connecticut Colony, 1639; from Gov. Thomas Dudley of the Massachusetts Colony, 1634, '40, '45, and '50; from Gov. William Bradford of Massachusetts, 1621—Sherman, Pitkin, Wyllys, Haynes, Dudley, Bradford:

Baldwin Genealogy, p. 293.

Who's Who, Vol. 5, p. 82.

N. E. Hist. Gen. Register, Vol. III, p. 338; Vol. IV, pp. 39, 40, 41; Vol. VII, p. 308; Vol. IX, p. 127; Vol. X, p. 130; Vol. XIV, pp. 115, 195; Vol. XXIV, p. 124; Vol. XXXII, p. 294; Vol. XXXVII, pp. 33, 34, 36; Vol. XLVIII, p. 197.

Genealogy of John Perkins of Ipswich, Part III, pp. 22, 39, 40, 79.

Appleton's Encyclopædia of American Biography, Vol. I, pp. 149, 348, 349; Vol. III, p. 145; Vol. V, p. 32.

Pitkin Genealogy, by A. P. Pitkin, pp. 12, 27.

Prescott Memorial, Part I, pp. 66-68, 89, 90.

Sprague's Annals of the American Pulpit, Vol. I, pp. 343, 347; Part I, p. 182.

Woodbridge Record, pp. 6, 7, 14, 15.

CHARLOTTE WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Charlotte Winchester, daughter of Edmund and Harriette (Mears) Winchester, was born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 12, 1846, a few months after her father's death. She was baptized at St. Paul's Church, Boston, Mass., by the Rec-

Miss Charlotte Winchester.

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tor, Dr. Alexander H. Vinton, Sept. 27, 1858, her sister, Fanny Winchester, being sponsor. When about six months old she was taken to Florence, Italy, and lived there until 1856, when she returned to Boston with her five sisters. In Nov., 1861, she returned to Italy with her mother, then the wife of Giuseppe Carlo Matteini, and her two younger sisters, all three being educated abroad. Mrs. Matteini returned to the United States in 1867 and died in Boston, July 2, 1868. After the death of her mother, of whom Miss Winchester took the most devoted care during a long illness, she came to New Haven and lived with her brother-in-law, Judge Simeon E. Baldwin. She never married, but presided over and took charge of Judge Baldwin's home, brought up and educated most judiciously and carefully his two children, Roger Sherman Baldwin and Helen Harriet Baldwin (Mrs. Warren Randall Gilman of Worcester, Mass., 1911), whom she loved as her own; took a deep interest in many of the New Haven charities, was a faithful and most efficient manager of the Protestant New Haven Orphan Asylum for twenty-eight years, one of the original founders of and Vice President of the Leila and Hope Nurseries, and President of "Our Society," a social and benevolent club, and in every way contributed, as far as in her power, to the welfare and growth of all institutions in New Haven of benefit to others. She was a woman of remarkably fine character, large-hearted, broad-minded, absolutely unselfish, of superior intellect, with a finely trained and well-balanced mind, a charming conversationalist. She died very suddenly, after a short illness, Aug. 18, 1904, at Camp Aloha, in the Adirondacks, near Paul Smith's, where she was visiting her sister, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss. Her funeral took place in New Haven, Aug. 20, and she was buried in the Grove Street Cemetery in Gov. Baldwin's lot.

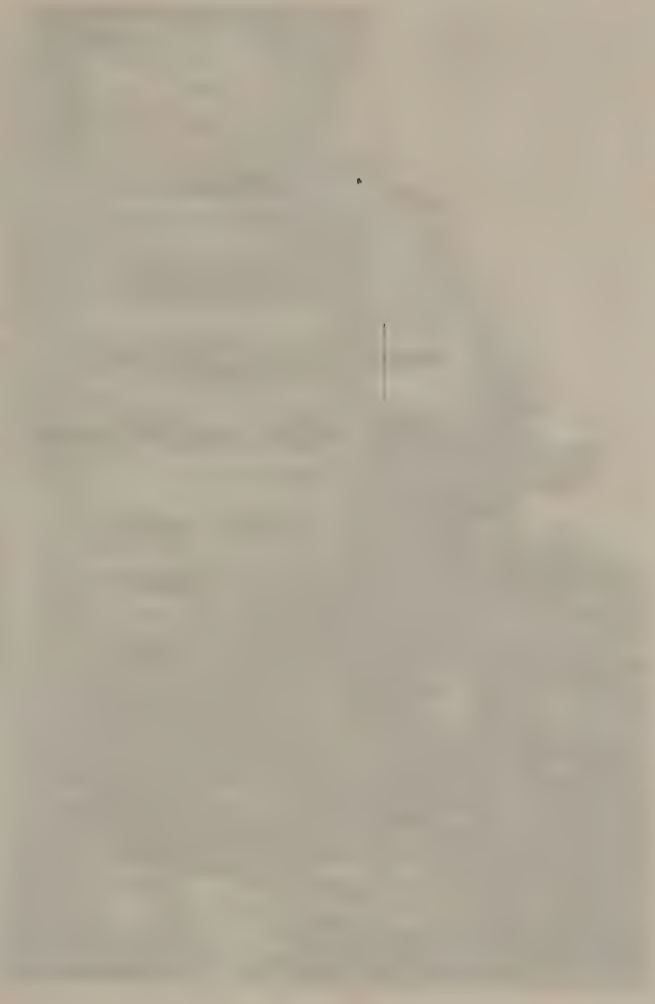
FLORENCE WINCHESTER (DE KARAJAN) SARGENT.

Harriette (Mears) Winchester married (2d) at Leghorn, Italy, in 1847, the Chevalier Nicolas Théodore de Karajan.

He was a Greek, whose family originally lived in Athens. His grandfather emigrated to Germany; made there a most useful invention for which he was knighted by the Emperor of Germany.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN OF HARRIETTE WINCHESTER AND THE CHEVALIER NICOLAS THÉODORE DE KARAJAN.

FLORENCE WINCHESTER DE KARAJAN, born at the Baths of Lucca, Italy, Feb. 9, 1848, came to America for the first time the latter part of 1856, both she and her sister Harriet being small children at that time and not able to speak a word of English. They were both baptized, with their sister Charlotte Winchester, then also a child, at St. Paul's Church, Boston, Mass., Sept. 27, 1858, by the Rev. Dr. Alexander H. Vinton, Rector of the Church, their sister, Fanny Winchester, being sponsor. Their mother returned from Europe that same year with her husband, Giuseppe Carlo Matteini of Florence, Italy, but having met at that time with some pecuniary reverses, Mrs. Matteini decided to leave Boston at once, and with four of her daughters and her husband, Mr. Matteini, she moved to Montpelier, Vt., in March, and later to Northfield. The advent of a foreign family at Montpelier was quite an interesting event in the small circle of that town, particularly at that period, when our land had not yet been invaded by Italians and other nationalities, and Mrs. Matteini and her family were very popular in Vermont. Charlotte Winchester and Florence de Karajan were both confirmed at St. Mary's Church, Northfield, Vt., by the Rev. Bishop Hopkins, April 3, 1861. The autumn of that year, Mrs. Matteini returned to Florence, Italy, where Mr. Matteini, through the courtesy of Col. Bigelow Lawrence, had received the appointment of Vice Consul, and with her went her three youngest daughters, who were educated there. Her eldest daughter Marion was already married to Mr. Kingsbury of Boston; her daughter Susan was at school in Boston, and her daughter Fanny was at Miss Dutton's in New Haven. Florence de Karajan returned to the United



Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Sargent.

New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. Joseph B. Sargent.

Née Florence Winchester de Karajan.

1887.

Mr. Joseph B. Sargent.

Mayor of New Haven from 1891 through 1894.

States in Nov., 1869, and lived for some time in New Haven, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss.

April 22, 1878, Florence Winchester de Karajan was married to Joseph Bradford Sargent of New Haven, Conn., at the home of her sister, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss, in New Haven, by the Rev. Francis Lobdell, Rector of St. Paul's Church. (Records of St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Conn.) It was a family wedding. The bride's aunt, Miss Catherine Mears from Boston, her sister, Miss Charlotte Winchester, and Judge Simeon E. Baldwin with his two children, Helen and Roger Baldwin, were present; also Mrs. Charles W. Swan, another sister of the bride, with her daughter Marion Swan, and Miss Fanny W. Kingsbury, a niece; Prof. and Mrs. William D. Whitney, Prof. and Mrs. Daniel C. Eaton, Miss Mary Dutton, an old and valued friend, and a few others were present, besides Mr. Sargent's large family of sons and daughters, only his youngest child being left at home. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent, after a short trip, returned to their beautiful home on Elm Street, New Haven.

Mrs. Sargent is a woman of remarkable executive ability. She has not only been capable of taking charge of a large house and very large family, but has also shown much interest in and devoted her energies to many outside charities, being identified for many years and at one time President of the Mothers' Aid Society of New Haven, President of the Woman's Board of Grace Hospital, working also in other ways with the religious and benevolent societies of Trinity Episcopal Church, of which she is a member. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent have traveled a great deal, having been to Europe, China, Japan, India, South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, South America, Mexico, California and through the greater part of the United States. Mr. Sargent was the founder of Sargent & Company, a very large hardware manufacturing business, employing thousands of workmen, a business he built up for his sons, graduates of Yale University, and one of them, Lewis Sargent, a graduate also of the Yale Law School. Mr. Sargent was Mayor of New Haven in 1891, '92, '93 and '94. He

proved a most faithful, efficient and capable Mayor. He was the candidate of the Democratic party for Governor of Connecticut in 1896. He died at his home in New Haven, July 15, 1907, and was laid at rest in Evergreen Cemetery. His beautiful house at the corner of Elm Street has been taken down and on its site is being erected the superb white marble County Court House of New Haven, Conn. (1911).

HARRIET WINCHESTER (DE KARAJAN) SWAN.

(*Gen. VII*) Harriet Winchester de Karajan, daughter of Harriette Winchester (née Harriette Mears) by her second husband, the Chevalier Nicolas Théodore de Karajan, was born in Florence, Italy, May 3, 1849; baptized at St. Paul's Church, Boston, Mass., by the Rev. Dr. Alexander H. Vinton, Rector of the church, Sept. 27, 1858, her sister Fanny Winchester being sponsor. She lived in Florence, Italy, many years, came to Boston with her sisters, returning to Italy with her mother in 1861. In 1867 she came back to Boston, and that city and Brookline, Mass., have been her home ever since. She married, June 24, 1869, Dr. Charles W. Swan of Boston. They were married at the Arlington Street Church by the Rev. Dr. Ezra Stiles Gannett, a small reception taking place afterwards at the house of Mrs. George H. Kingsbury, the bride's eldest sister. Mr. and Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss, Mr. and Mrs. Simeon E. Baldwin from New Haven, also Miss Charlotte Winchester, were present. (Marriages in Boston, Vol. 1800-49; Vol. 1869, No. 1470.)

Dr. Charles Walter Swan, son of Joshua and Olive (Jones) Swan, was born in Lowell, Mass., Feb. 6, 1838. Olive Swan was born in 1794; died in 1892.

Charles W. Swan graduated at Harvard University in 1861; at the Harvard Medical School in 1864; settled in Boston, where he practiced medicine for many years, but about 1906 his health broke down, he retired from his profession, and giving up his house, went to live at the old homestead in Lowell,

Mrs. Charles W. Swán.

Née Harriet Winchester de Karajan.

1882.

Dr. Charles W. Swan.

Of Boston, Mass.

1882.

Mass., still belonging to his eldest sister; his children were all married. Both he and Mrs. Swan are very cultivated and agreeable, the doctor being a man of decidedly scientific tastes and attainments, and while practicing medicine, he devoted much time to botanical researches and collected a very fine herbarium, which, when obliged to give up his home in Boston, he was glad to part with to his three brothers-in-law in New Haven, who presented it to the Forestry Department of Yale University.

SWAN LINEAGE.

Joshua Swan, born at Methuen, Mass., July 12, 1755; married Deborah Burbank in 1787; died at Methuen, March 25, 1845. When not yet twenty years old, was at the battle of Bunker Hill. He served in eight campaigns and was for three years connected with Washington's own army in various capacities. He narrowly escaped death at the battle of Brandywine and was at West Point at the time of Arnold's treachery. He and his wife, Deborah Burbank, had five sons and four daughters. Their eldest son,

Joshua Swan, born at Methuen, Jan. 10, 1788, moved to Waltham, Mass., in 1816; met there Olive Jones of Lancaster and they were married at Lancaster on Thanksgiving Day, Dec. 3, 1817. They moved to Lowell early in 1824. In Lowell Mr. Swan took contracts for building machinery and had the direction of a large workshop. In 1830 he moved into the house which was to be the family homestead for sixty years. In this house Charles Walter Swan was born.

Mrs. Swan was a beautiful woman. The sweetness and serenity of her disposition and her self-forgetting thoughtfulness of others invested her with a peculiar charm. Joshua Swan was a very energetic man and took a prominent position in the rapidly-growing town of Lowell, Mass. He was Selectman for several years, Alderman in 1837, Representative to the General Court in 1839, and County Commissioner from 1848

to 1851. His energy, good sense and perfect integrity were recognized by the community and he was held in high esteem. He died April 21, 1867. His wife, Olive (Jones) Swan, died in 1892, in her ninety-eighth year.

CHILDREN.

1. —— Swan, died in infancy.
2. Maria Swan, born July 24, 1821.
3. Joshua Augustus Swan, born Jan. 18, 1823; baptized and admitted to the Austin Street Church of Cambridge, Mass., 1842. Entered Harvard College the same year; graduated in 1846; class poet. Ordained and accepted a call Feb. 6, 1850. Married, April 16, 1851, at Cambridge, Mass., Sarah Hodges; died Oct. 31, 1871.
4. Albert G. Swan, born May 26, 1826.
5. Sarah Swan, born July 21, 1828.
6. Charles Walter Swan, born Feb. 6, 1838. Graduated at Harvard College 1861; at Medical School 1864. Married June 24, 1869, Harriet Winchester de Karajan.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF DR. CHARLES WALTER AND HARRIET WINCHESTER (DE KARAJAN) SWAN.

1. Marion Nickerson Swan, born March 18, 1870, in Boston, Mass.; married, May 12, 1897, Stephen Smith Bartlett.
2. Walter Buckingham Swan, born July 13, 1871, in Boston, Mass.; married, Oct. 31, 1896, Carolyn Warren Leavitt.
3. Edith Rosamond Swan, born Aug. 11, 1880, in Boston, Mass.; married, June 10, 1905, Alfred Emil Hammer of Branford, Conn.

(*Gen. VIII*) Marion Nickerson Swan, born in Boston, March 18, 1870, was at the Harvard Annex for two years; was married to Stephen Smith Bartlett, at the home of her parents, May 12, 1897, by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale. Her cousin, Helen Harriet Baldwin from New Haven, Conn., and her sister, Rosamond Swan, were her only bridesmaids. A large reception followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen S. Bartlett have lived at Chestnut Hill since their marriage, but in 1908 they moved to Barnstable, Mass., hired a house and remained there until Sept. 30, 1911, when they sailed for Europe with their two young children. Mrs. Bartlett's mother, Mrs. Swan, accompanied them.

Mrs. Stephen S. Bartlett.

Née Marion Nickerson Swan.

Stephen Smith Bartlett was born in Boston, Feb. 14, 1861, the son of John Bishop and Eliza Davis (Smith) Bartlett. He graduated from Harvard University in 1885, and from the Harvard Law School in 1889; began practicing law in 1889.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN OF STEPHEN SMITH AND MARION NICKERSON (SWAN) BARTLETT.

1. CHARLES LOTHROP BARTLETT, born at Chestnut Hill, Mass., June 23, 1898; baptized in South Congregational Church, Boston, by Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., Sunday, April 16, 1899.
2. ROSAMOND BARTLETT, born Nov. 13, 1899, at Chestnut Hill, Mass.; baptized in South Congregational Church of Boston, April 14, 1900, by Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D.

BARTLETT LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) Robert Bartlett arrived Plymouth 1623 by ship *Ann;* married Mary Warren, daughter of Richard Warren, the Pilgrim who came in *Mayflower.*

(*Gen. II*) Joseph Bartlett married Hannah Fallowell.

(*Gen. III*) Benjamin Bartlett married, 1702, Sarah Barnes.

(*Gen. IV*) Joseph Bartlett, born 1709; married Jean Swift, 1735.

(*Gen. V*) Elkanah Bartlett, born 1747; married Sarah Atwood in 1768.

(*Gen. VI*) John Bartlett, born 1777; married Rebecca Rider, 1799.

(*Gen. VII*) John Bartlett married Eliza Finney, 1829.

(*Gen. VIII*) John Bishop Bartlett, born in Plymouth; married, 1855, Eliza Davis Smith, daughter of Stephen and Eliza Davis (Lothrop) Smith. He died 1878. Both Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop Bartlett are now dead (1911).

(*Gen. IX*) Stephen Smith Bartlett, born in Boston, Mass., Feb. 14, 1861.

Eliza Davis (Smith) Bartlett, mother of Stephen Smith Bartlett, descends on her maternal side from John Howland and Elizabeth Tilley, both of the *Mayflower.*

LOTHROP LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) Rev. John Lothrop, baptized 1584; came to America 1634; settled in Scituate; later removed to Barnstable, Mass., where he died, 1653.

(*Gen. II*) Joseph Lothrop, born in England, 1624; probably came to America with his father in 1634; married, 1650, Mary Ansell, and lived in Barnstable, Mass.

(*Gen. III*) Thomas Lothrop, born in Barnstable, 1673; married, 1697, Experience Gorham, daughter of James and Hannah (Huckins) Gorham; lived in Barnstable.

(*Gen. IV*) James Lothrop, born 1703; married, 1732, Patience Coleman, daughter of James and Patience (Cobb) Coleman; he was drowned at sea, 1748.

(*Gen. V*) Gen. Ebenezer Lothrop, born in Barnstable, 1743; married Elizabeth Davis, daughter of James and Jean (Bacon) Davis; lived in Barnstable; died 1814.

(*Gen. VI*) Ebenezer Lothrop, Jr., born in Barnstable, 1778; married, 1799, Temperance Lewis, daughter of Peter and Mehitable (Hinckley) Lewis; died 1837.

(*Gen. VII*) Eliza Davis Lothrop, born in Barnstable, 1804; married, 1830, Stephen Smith, son of James and Bethiah (Rider) Smith; she died 1873.

(*Gen. VIII*) Eliza Davis Smith, born in Boston, 1834; married, 1855, John Bishop Bartlett, son of John and Eliza (Finney) Bartlett. She died in 1903.

(*Gen. IX*) Stephen Smith Bartlett, born in Boston, 1861.

HOWLAND LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) John Howland married Elizabeth Tilley, daughter of John Tilley. All came in *Mayflower*.

(*Gen. II*) Desire Howland married, 1643, Capt. John Gorham of Barnstable and Marshfield.

(*Gen. III*) James Gorham, born in Marshfield, 1650; married, 1673, Hannah Huckins, daughter of Thomas Huckins of Barnstable, Mass.

(*Gen. IV*) Experience Gorham, born in Barnstable, 1678; married, 1697, Thomas Lothrop, son of Joseph and Mary (Ansell) Lothrop. She died in 1733.

Their son was James Lothrop, Gen. IV of Lothrop lineage.

WALTER BUCKINGHAM SWAN.

(*Gen. VIII*) Walter Buckingham Swan, son of Dr. Charles W. and Harriet Winchester (de Karajan) Swan, was born in Boston, Mass., July 13, 1871; married, Oct. 31, 1896, Carolyn Warren Leavitt. They were married at the home of Mrs. William Edward Carleton, sister of the bride, at 4 Monument Square, Charlestown, Mass., by the Rev. Philo W. Sprague. A large reception followed. The four aunts of the groom, Mrs. George H. Kingsbury of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, with her husband, Mr. Hotchkiss, Miss Charlotte Winchester, with her niece, Helen Harriet Baldwin, daughter of Judge Simeon E. Baldwin of New Haven, and Mrs. J. B. Sargent, also of New Haven, were all present at the ceremony.

Walter Buckingham and Carolyn Warren (Leavitt) Swan have one child:

1. Eleanor Foster Swan, born in Cambridge, Mass., March 29, 1904; baptized Easter Sunday at All Saints' Episcopal Church in Brookline, Mass., by the Rev. Daniel Dalancy Addison.

Dudley Franklin Leavitt, born Dec. 9, 1814, in Bangor, Me.; married Dolly Ingersoll McQuertur, who was born in Haverhill, Mass., March 17, 1823, and died in Brookline, Mass., Feb. 21, 1898. He died July 7, 1886, at Bangor, Me. He was an operator in timber lands. Their daughter,

Carolyn Warren Leavitt, married, Oct. 31, 1896, Walter Buckingham Swan.

(*Gen. VIII*) Edith Rosamond Swan, youngest child of Dr. Charles W. and Harriet Winchester (de Karajan) Swan, was born in Boston, Mass., Aug. 11, 1880, and baptized there by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D. She graduated with high honors at Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Mass., June 18, 1902. She was married at her home on Beacon Street, Brook-

line, Mass., June 10, 1905, to Alfred Emil Hammer of Branford, Conn., by the Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D. After their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Hammer took a trip to Europe for the summer, returning to their home in Branford, Conn., that same year.

Alfred Emil Hammer, son of Thorvald Frederik and Delphina (Lundsteen) Hammer, was born March 8, 1858, in South Boston, Mass.

HAMMER LINEAGE.

(*Gen. I*) Peter Petersen Hammer, born Sandoig, Island of Bornholm, April 4, 1781; married Johanne Bistrup in Copenhagen, Denmark, Feb. 17, 1815. He died in Copenhagen, March 20, 1842. Johanne Bistrup was born in Copenhagen, June 30, 1793. She died there Dec. 21, 1874. Some of the children of Peter Petersen and Johanne Bistrup Hammer: Hans Jürgen, born Dec. 29, 1815; William, born July 31, 1821. These two were artists. Emil Christian, born April 1, 1823; Thorvald Frederik, born Aug. 14, 1825. These two lived in America. Viggs Otto Peter, born Oct. 20, 1828; Harold Valdemar, born Oct. 16, 1830. These two are living at Copenhagen (1911).

(*Gen. II*) Thorvald Frederik Hammer, born in Copenhagen, Aug. 14, 1825; graduated, 1848, Navigation School of Copenhagen; came to Boston, United States; was married to Delphina Lundsteen, Oct. 15, 1856, in Boston, Mass., by Rev. William S. Streeter; died at Branford, Conn., May 14, 1901. Delphina Ludsteen, his wife, born July 10, 1833, in Boston, Mass.; died Jan. 27, 1885. She was the daughter of Frederik Ferdinand Lundsteen, born at Elsinor, Denmark, 1802; came to Boston, Mass., in 1832; married Delphina Fritchi, Oct. 9, 1832. She was born 1814 and died 1863. Frederik Ferdinand Lundsteen died in Boston in 1860.

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF THORVALD FREDERIK AND DELPHINA LUNDSTEEN HAMMER.

Alfred Emil Hammer, born at South Boston, Mass., March 8, 1858; married (1st) Cornelia Hannah Foster, Sept. 27,

Miss Catherine Mears.

From a photograph taken in Paris, 1874-5.

1887; married (2d) EDITH ROSAMOND SWAN, June 10, 1905, the daughter of Dr. Charles W. and Harriet Winchester (de Karajan) Swan; baptized by Rev. Dr. Block Suhr in Hellig Aands Kirke (Chapel of the Holy Ghost), Copenhagen, Denmark, May 19, 1861.

Thora Delphina Hammer, born March 20, 1861; died Aug. 13, 1887.

Linda Sophia Hammer, born December 15, 1862; died April 1, 1864.

Laura Johanna Hammer, born October 7, 1864.

Julia Henrietta Hammer.

Valdemar Thorvaldsen Hammer.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF ALFRED EMIL AND CORNELIA HANNAH (FOSTER) HAMMER.

Forrester Lundsteen Hammer, born Sept. 17, 1888.

Rosalind Cornelia Hammer, born Feb. 4, 1891.

Delphina Lundsteen Hammer, born April 27, 1892.

Thorvald Frederik Hammer, born Dec. 5, 1893.

MISS CATHERINE MEARS.

Catherine Mears, daughter of Elijah and Catherine Marshall (Raymond) Mears, was born in Boston, Mass., March 1, 1808. In giving the family of Edmund Winchester it would not be complete without the name of Catherine Mears, his wife's sister. Miss Mears was a woman of fine intellect, excellent judgment, well-read and deeply interested in all the living issues of her day; but particularly she was known for her rare unselfishness of character and for her self-sacrificing devotion to and sympathy for others. To the children of her sister Harriette she was a second mother, giving to them the most loving and constant care and lavishing upon them the deep affection of her heart. Her long life was filled with faithful ministrations to others—to her parents as long as they lived and afterwards to all who claimed her help. Her lifelong and dearest friends were Mrs. Samuel Dana and her daughters, Anna Dana and Mrs. Osmun

Latrobe of Baltimore. Twice Miss Mears was persuaded to go to Europe. Once, when quite young, she accompanied a Mrs. King, an old family friend and relative, to Palermo, Sicily, and again in October, 1874, she went to London to visit Mrs. Osmun Latrobe, then living there, and remained abroad a number of months. The latter part of her life she spent her winters in Baltimore with Mrs. Latrobe and in New Haven, with her niece, Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss. She died in Boston, July 24, 1892, and was laid at rest in her father's lot at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

LINEAGE OF MRS. GIUSEPPE CARLO MATTEINI (NÉE HARRIETTE MEARS).

Mears Lineage.
Frost Lineage.
Stickney Lineage.
Swan Lineage.
Brocklebank Lineage.
Syle Lineage.
Raymond Lineage.
Ireland Lineage.
Scruggs Lineage.

MEARS LINEAGE.

If Hazen, in his "History of Billerica, Mass." is correct, when he says "Robert Mears, probably son of Robert of Boston," then the following would be our line:

(*Gen. I*) Robert Mears, born in England, 1592; married Elizabeth Johnson (sister of James Johnson), born in England in 1605. Robert Mears came from London to New England in 1635 with wife Elizabeth and sons Samuel and John; died in Boston, 1667. Their son,

(*Gen. II*) James Mears, born in Boston, Mass., Jan. 3, 1644; married Elizabeth Mellows in 1665; died in Boston, Oct. 6, 1712. Their son,

(*Gen. III*) Robert Mears, born in Boston, Jan. 29, 1671-2; baptized in Old South Church, Boston, Nov. 18, 1683-4. In a Constable's rate for 1707 is given: Robert Mears married, July 30, 1706, Elizabeth Adams, by Rev. James Allen. Again in Boston Records: Robert and Elizabeth Mires had: Robert, born Jan. 6, 1707; John, born Jan. 8, 1710.

There were two persons named Robert Mears living in Boston at one time, uncle and nephew. I have not proved yet (1900) that Robert of Billerica was related to either of them, but I believe that he belonged to the same family and was in all probability the son of one of them.

As the name Mears is spelled in so many ways, such as: Meere, Meers, Miers, Mires, Meeres, Meares, Meirs, it seems probable that these are all one name, and also probable that the marriage of Elizabeth Adams to Robert Mears in 1706 would apply to Robert Mears, son of James and Elizabeth (Mellows) Mears, and that also the birth of Robert, Jan. 6, 1707, son of Robert and Elizabeth Mires (the dates and names fitting exactly) might apply to Robert Mears of Billerica, Mass.; as also Robert and Elizabeth Mires had a son John, born 1710, this fact would add strength to the probability, as Robert and John were family names running through several generations of the Mears family.

From the following point our Mears lineage is positively correct:

Robert Mears of Billerica, Mass., married, April 21, 1726, Hannah, daughter of Samuel Frost of Billerica, Mass. Removed to Tewksbury about 1738, where she died Sept. 22, 1756. He was married three times. Died July 3, 1784. (Town Records of Tewksbury, Mass.)

John Mears, son of Robert Mears and his first wife, Hannah Frost, born in Tewksbury, Mass., April 3, 1741. (Town Records.) Married, Jan. 4, 1764, Jane Stickney, daughter of Amos and Hannah (Syle) Stickney, born June 1, 1746. (Stickney Genealogy, p. 109.) He was drowned June 26, 1788. His widow married (2d) Ephraim Frost, Dec. 22, 1795. (Town Clerk of Tewksbury, Mass., in 1897.)

Among Boston Deaths, 1810-1848: "Widow Jane Frost died at Elijah Mears' June 8, 1816, aged 71 years, and was buried in Tomb 10, Kings Chapel Ground." In Elijah Mears' will he speaks of his one-half of a tomb in King's Chapel, and a lot in Mount Auburn, with an estate in Milton. His will was dated 1858. His son Elijah Mears and daughter Mary Mears are both buried in King's Chapel Cemetery, as well as his mother, Jane Stickney Mears, who married (2d) Ephraim Frost in 1795, and was his widow when she died in 1816 at the home of her son, Elijah Mears.

Elijah Mears, son of John and Jane (Stickney) Mears, born in Tewksbury, Mass., May 11, 1778 (Town Records), moved to Boston previous to 1802, then a very young man, with his fortune to make in life. He was married there April 8, 1802, by the Rev. Thomas Baldwin, D.D., pastor of the Second, afterwards Baldwin Place, Baptist Church, to Catherine Marshall Raymond, daughter of William Raymond and his second wife, Mary Jennings. She was born in Boston, Mass., Dec. 25, 1778; baptized there June 3, 1779 in the Second Church, now the Copley Square Unitarian Church of Boston (1897), of which her father was a member. She died in Boston of pleurisy, Feb. 16, 1867. Elijah Mears died in Boston, March 2, 1858, of erysipelas, and both are buried in the Mears lot at Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.

Elijah Mears and his wife Catherine (Raymond) Mears joined the Federal Street Baptist Church, April, 1828, from the Second Church, afterwards the Baldwin Place Baptist Church, by letter. He was elected deacon of the Federal Street, afterwards Rowe Street, Baptist Church (in 1897 the Arlington Street Baptist Church), July 5, 1837, and was in office at the time of his death, March 2, 1858, a period of nearly twenty-one years. Rev. Baron Stone, D.D., was the pastor of the church at that time. Mr. Mears was a man of deep religious convictions, of rare refinement, unostentatious, but truly generous, known and respected as a man of sterling qualities and one of the most exemplary citizens of Boston. His life was in harmony with his belief. Though far from rich, he was noted

Mr. Elijah Mears.

From a painting by Harding.
Probably 1839-40.

Mrs. Elijah Mears.

From a painting, probably by Harding.
About 1839-40.

for his hospitality, and nothing gave Mr. and Mrs. Mears more pleasure than to welcome their friends to their home in Boston. Their daughters were gifted and brilliant women and Mary, Catherine, Charlotte and Harriette Mears always attracted clever and talented people about them. The Walkers, Waylands, Nat. P. Willis' family, the Tiffanys, Lincolns and many others, were the charming guests of my grandfather's home.

Mrs. Mears was full of enthusiasm, and a very liberal-minded woman, probably owing to the early Unitarian influences that surrounded her girlhood; her views of life were much broader than those of many of her Baptist friends of that period. Her husband gave to his children every advantage in his power, his daughters being highly educated women, trained in the best private schools of Boston, and his youngest son, Elijah Mears, was a graduate of Harvard College in the Class of 1838, studying medicine with Dr. Warren when he died at the early age of twenty-four. Elijah Mears was one of nature's noblemen, and he died leaving a name of which all his grandchildren may well be proud. "Un chevalier sans peur et sans reproche" would be a fitting tribute to his memory.

Harriette Mears, youngest daughter of Elijah and Catherine Marshall (Raymond) Mears, born in Boston, Jan. 26, 1816, was married (1st), Nov. 12, 1833, to Edmund Winchester, Jr., of Boston, by the Rev. Baron Stow, D.D.; married (2d) at Leghorn, Italy, in 1847, the Chevalier Nicolas Théodore de Karajan, a Greek; married (3d) Signor Giuseppe Carlo Matteini of Florence, Italy, formerly a member of the Noble Guards, the devoted corps of Pope Pius IX at Rome. They were married at Paris, France, in 1858. She died in Boston, July 2, 1868.

FROST LINEAGE.

Edmund Frost, Ruling Elder of the church in Cambridge, Mass., came here in 1635. By wife Thomasine had: John, born in England about 1634; James, born April 9, 1640, and others. Elder Frost's wife, Thomasine, died before 1669. He

married (2d) Reana Daniel, who survived him. He died July 12, 1672, leaving to his children the example of a godly life. (Paige's Cambridge, p. 552.)

James Frost, born April 9, 1640, married (1st), Dec. 7, 1664, Rebecca Hamlet, who died July 20, 1666; married (2d), Jan. 22, 1666-7, Elizabeth Foster, daughter of Thomas Foster. (Page 61, Hazen's Billerica.) Foster, Thomas, Sergt., was from Braintree. He died in 1684, and his widow Elizabeth in 1694-5. Among children: Elizabeth, who married James Frost. The will of Sergt. Foster names only son Joseph and James Frost, son-in-law. (Page 54, Hazen's Billerica.)

Samuel Frost, born in Billerica, Mass., Feb. 28, 1669-70, son of James and Elizabeth (Foster) Frost; married Hannah ——, born about 1676. She died Dec. 25, 1753. He died in Tewksbury, Dec. 7, 1755.

Hannah Frost, daughter of Samuel and Hannah Frost, born May 13, 1702; died Sept. 22, 1750; married, April 21, 1726, Robert Mears. (Town Records of Tewksbury, Mass.) Their son,

John Mears, born April 3, 1741; married, Jan. 4, 1764, Jane Stickney. (Stickney Genealogy, p. 109.) Their son,

Elijah Mears of Boston, born in Tewksbury, Mass., May 11, 1778. (Town Records.) Married Catherine Marshall Raymond, April 8, 1802.

STICKNEY LINEAGE OF ELIJAH MEARS THROUGH HIS MOTHER JANE STICKNEY, WIFE OF JOHN MEARS.

(Spelled also Sticknee.)

Lineage of
Lieut. Samuel Stickney,
Eldest son of
William Stickney.
Swan Lineage.

Lineage of
John Stickney,
Third son of
William Stickney.
Brocklebank Lineage.
Syle Lineage.

BURN

Granite Obelisk.

Erected at Rowley, Mass., in 1863, on the Grave of William Stickney by his Descendants, Josiah Stickney of Boston, Matthew Adams Stickney of Salem, Joseph Henry Stickney of Baltimore, Md.

Jane Stickney, a descendant of William Stickney, through Lieut. Samuel Stickney, the eldest son, and John Stickney, the third son of William Stickney and wife Elizabeth of Rowley, Mass.

(*Gen. I*) William Stickney, baptized at Frampton, England, Sept. 6, 1592; married Elizabeth ——, born about 1608; she died after 1678; he died at Rowley, Mass., 1665. They were of Boston, in New England, in 1638, of Rowley, Mass., in 1639. (Stickney Genealogy.)

It is inferred, from records procured in England by Horatio B. Somerby, Esq., that he was the William baptized in St. Mary's Church, Frampton, Lincolnshire, England, Sept. 6, 1592, the son of William Stickney of Frampton, baptized Dec. 30, 1558, who married, June 16, 1585, Margaret Peirson, and the grandson of Robert Stickney of Frampton, who made his will Oct. 3, and was buried Oct. 18, 1582. William Stickney and wife Elizabeth sailed from Hull, England, probably in 1637, and he was admitted, with his wife Elizabeth, members of the church in Boston, Nov. 6, 1638. One of the original settlers of Rowley, now Bradford, Mass., in 1639. (American Ancestry, Vol. I, p. 76.)

On the two hundredth anniversary of the death of William Stickney, in 1868, a granite obelisk was erected on his grave at Rowley, Mass., by his descendants, Josiah Stickney of Boston, Matthew Adams Stickney of Salem, Mass., and Joseph Henry Stickney of Baltimore, Md.

(*Gen. II*) Lieut. Samuel Stickney, born in England in 1633; died in Bradford, Mass., 1709. Representative from Bradford, Mass., May 8, 1689, and Feb. 12, 1689-90. Lieutenant on the Bradford Records in 1691. Sixty-six persons, one of whom was Samuel Stickney, met, it appears by the Colonial Records, and confirmed the new government. He was Grand Juryman, April 13, 1697, and on jury for trials 1701-8. Appointed Tythingman 1704. (Stickney Genealogy, pp 14, 18.)

Lieut. Samuel Stickney married (1st) in Rowley, Mass., 2, 18, 1653, Julian Swan, daughter of Richard Swan and wife Ann. Julian Swan died between 1670 and 1673. Their son,

(*Gen. III*) Samuel Stickney, Jr., born in Rowley, 2, 5, 1663; baptized there April 4, 1675; died in Bradford, Dec. 30, 1714; married Mary, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Langhorne) Heseltine, who was born in Rowley, April 30, 1672. Their son,

(*Gen. IV*) Lieut. Thomas Stickney, born in Bradford, Aug. 23, 1694; died in Bradford, Oct. 27, 1769; married (1st), June 29, 1715-16, by Rev. Thomas Symms to Mary Mullicken, daughter of Robert and Rebecca Mullicken. She was born Sept. 26, 1692. Their son,

(*Gen. V*) Amos Stickney, born in Bradford, Oct. 21, 1718; married in Rowley, Jan. 22, 1743, Hannah Syle, daughter of John and Jane (Stickney) Syle. By this marriage the two lines of Samuel, the eldest, and John, the third son of William Stickney, were united. Amos Stickney died in Tewksbury, Mass., June 23, 1783. Administration on his estate Sept. 11, 1783. Amos Stickney married (2d) Hannah, widow of John Hunt (maiden name Flint), Aug. 27, 1756. He had eight children.

(*Gen. VI*) His second child by his first wife, Hannah Syle, was Jane, born June 1, 1746; married (1st) John Mears, Jan. 4, 1764. (Stickney Genealogy, by Matthew Adams Stickney, Salem, Mass., 1869, at page 109.)

After the death, by drowning, of John Mears in 1788, his widow married (2d), Dec. 22, 1795, Ephraim Frost. (Town Records.) She died in Boston, Mass., at the home of her son, Elijah Mears, in 1816, where she went to live after the death of her second husband. Catherine Mears remembered her grandmother as a very beautiful woman.

SWAN LINEAGE.

(Also written Swaan.)

Richard Swan, of Boston, 1638, of Rowley, Mass., 1639. Freeman, May 16, 1640. Ann Swan, his wife, came to New England with him. He died 1678. Will drawn April 21, 1678; proved May 23, 1678. (Early Settlers of Rowley,

by George B. Blodgett. Essex Hist. Coll., Vol. 23, p. 308.) Richard Swan was Deputy to the General Court ten years, from 1666 to 1677 inclusive. (Mass. Bay Colonial Records, Vol. IV, Part I, pp. 295, 314, 331, 362, 418, 469, 485, 551.) He served in King Philip's War. Grantees and claimants of Narragansett Township No. 1, now the town of Buxton, Me. Among soldier grantees, Richard Swan. (King Philip's War, by George Madison Bodge, A.B., p. 114.)

Julian Swan, daughter of Richard Swan and wife Ann ——, married, 2, 18, 1653, Lieut. Samuel Stickney. She died between 1670 and 1673.

LINEAGE OF JOHN, THE THIRD SON OF WILLIAM AND ELIZABETH STICKNEY.

William Stickney, born in Frampton, England, 1592, was, with wife Elizabeth, of Boston, in New England in 1638; of Rowley in 1639, where he died 1665.

(*Gen. I*) William Stickney, with wife Elizabeth and three children, Samuel, Amos and Mary, were among the original settlers of Rowley, Mass., in 1639. William Stickney was buried Jan. 25, 1664-5. (Town Books of Rowley.) His will proved in court held at Ipswich, March 28, 1665. Total inventory, £416.14.01. His son,

(*Gen. II*) Lieut. John Stickney, born 1, 4, 1640, at Rowley, Mass., died there in 1709; married there June 9, 1680 (when he was forty), Hannah Brocklebank, born March 28, 1659, daughter of Capt. Samuel and Hannah Brocklebank. Lieut. John Stickney served in King Philip's War and was in the bloody action of Dec. 19, 1675, and assisted in the capture of the Narragansett Fort. (Stickney Genealogy, p. 22; Early Settlers of Rowley, Mass., Essex Hist. Col., Vol. 20, p. 149.) Their youngest daughter,

(*Gen. III*) Jane Stickney, born Nov. 10, 1696 (p. 27, Stickney Genealogy); married, June 21, 1722, John Syle, son of Richard Syle (page 444). Their daughter,

(*Gen. IV*) Hannah Syle, born April 30, 1723; married, Jan. 22, 1743, Amos Stickney of Bradford, Mass., born there Oct. 21, 1718. (Stickney Genealogy, pp. 57-108.) By this marriage the two branches of Samuel, the eldest, and John, the third son of William Stickney, were united. Their daughter,

(*Gen. V*) Jane Stickney, born June 1, 1746, married (1st), Jan. 4, 1764, John Mears, born April 3, 1741. He was drowned June 26, 1788. (Tewksbury Town Records; Stickney Genealogy, p. 109.) Their son,

(*Gen. VI*) Elijah Mears, born May 11, 1778, in Tewksbury, Mass., moved to Boston, and married there, April 8, 1802, Catherine Marshall Raymond, born Dec. 25, 1778, daughter of William Raymond of Boston, Mass., and his second wife Mary Jennings.

(*Gen. VII*) Harriette Mears, daughter of Elijah and Catherine Marshall (Raymond) Mears, married (1st) Nov. 12, 1833, Edmund Winchester, Jr., of Boston.

BROCKLEBANK LINEAGE.

John Stickney, third son of William and Elizabeth Stickney, Rowley 1639, married, June 9, 1680, Hannah Brocklebank, born in Rowley, Mass., March 28, 1659, daughter of Capt. Samuel and Hannah Brocklebank.

From Essex Historical Collections, Vol. 20, p. 148: "Widow Jane Brocklebank from Yorkshire came with Rev. Ezekiel Rogers, had a house and lot on Wethersfield Street, Rowley, in 1643, denoting her to be of good estate; she was buried Dec. 26, 1668, brought children: 1. Samuel, born about 1628; 2. John, born about 1630."

From Records of Rowley: Widow Jane Brocklebank came from Yorkshire with Rev. Ezekiel Rogers' Company . . . her son Capt. Samuel Brocklebank was born about 1628; he was one of the brave captains who were slain, with Wadsworth at Sudbury, Mass., April 21, 1676. He married 18, 3, 1652 Hannah . . . Hannah, daughter of Capt. Samuel and Hannah Brocklebank, was born in Rowley, March 28, 1659; mar-

ried June 9, 1680, John Stickney. (From Soldiers to King Philip's War, by George M. Bodge, p. 206.)

Samuel Brocklebank and his wife Hannah had children:

1. Samuel Brocklebank, born 1653; married Elizabeth Platts.
2. Francis Brocklebank, born 1655.
3. Hannah Brocklebank, born in Rowley, March 28, 1659; married John Stickney.
4. Mary Brocklebank, married William Dole.
5. Elizabeth Brocklebank.
6. Sarah Brocklebank, married Henry Dole.
7. Jane Brocklebank, baptized Feb. 5, 1670.
8. Joseph Brocklebank, baptized Nov. 29, 1674.

(Church Records; and Settlers of Rowley, by Geo. B. Blodgett, for these baptisms.)

Capt. Samuel Brocklebank was appointed Deacon of the First Church in Rowley in 1665; elected Captain of the Foot Company of Rowley in 1673; was active in recruiting for the Narragansett campaign, and after the fort fight, on the second call for recruits, went out with a company about Jan. 1, returning to Boston, Feb. 5. After his return to Boston, Capt. Brocklebank, with his company, within one week, was called to Marlborough, where he was placed in command of the garrisons and auxiliary operations, and remained until April 21, when he marched to Sudbury, with Capt. Wadsworth and his company, where they were ambushed by the Indians, and both captains, with most of their men were slain. After the death of Capt. Brocklebank, his widow married Richard Dole of Newbury. His descendants of the name are quite numerous by his son Samuel and his wife Elizabeth Platts; by his daughters Mary and Sarah, who married William and Henry, sons of Richard Dole, and by his daughter, Hannah, who married John Stickney.

Capt. Samuel Brocklebank was one of the witnesses to the will of the first William Stickney, 1664. (Records of Rowley.)

The Sudbury fight was a great event in the early annals of New England. Captain Wadsworth, covered with wounds, was among the last that fell, endeavoring to keep his company together and encouraging them to the end, and while, during

the terrible encounter, the blasts of Brocklebank's trumpet rang out clear and strong, urging on his men, though the blood was streaming from his many wounds. Thirty, including Captain Wadsworth and Captain Brocklebank, and two other officers, were slain on the field and were buried in a common grave. The date of the above event is given by General Gookin, the letters of the Massachusetts Council, the Roxbury Records and the Probate Records of Middlesex as April 21, 1676. The two principal officers, who were both forty-six years of age at the time of their death, were most highly esteemed for their character as well as their services. "Worthy and pious Captains they are called; men for piety, prudence and courage eminent and much lamented." Captain Samuel Brocklebank is described as "a godly and choice-spirited man." (Wadsworth Family History, by Horace Andrew Wadsworth, 1883, p. 60.)

The first monument erected in the battle-field was placed there by President Wadsworth of Harvard College, son of Capt. Samuel Wadsworth, in 1730. This monument was falling to decay, and another monument was erected at the expense of the State and of the town, and dedicated Nov. 23, 1852. The boxes containing the remains of the heroes were placed beneath this monument and the ancient slab, erected by President Wadsworth, was placed in front of this monument. (Wadsworth Family History, pp. 62, 63.)

SYLE LINEAGE.

Jane Stickney, daughter of John Stickney, married (1st), June 21, 1722, John Syle, son of Richard Syle. Their daughter,

Hannah Syle, married, Jan. 22, 1743, Amos Stickney of Bradford, Mass.

Jane Stickney, daughter of Amos and Hannah (Syle) Stickney, born June 1, 1746; married (1st) John Mears, Jan. 4, 1764. (Stickney Genealogy, p. 109.)

(Syle Lineage—Essex County Papers.)

Richard Syle's wife Hannah was the widow of Joseph Scott. Richard Syle was always styled Mr. His will mentions two daughters. (Coffins' Newbury, p. 319.)

Richard Syle married, Aug., 1697, in Newbury, Mass., Hannah Scott. Richard and Hannah Syle of Rowley had one son, John, born Sept. 26, 1698. (Essex Hist. Col., Vol. 4, p. 222.)

Mrs. Syle, after a long sickness, died Jan. 25, 1715, in Rowley, aged 58 years, therefore born about 1657.

Richard Syle married (2d), Oct. 23, 1719, Mrs. Mary Greenough. He was a schoolmaster in Rowley, of advanced age when he married her, and he died Feb. 22, 1721-2. (Essex Hist. Col., Vol. 4, p. 224.)

His son John Syle, born 1698, married, June 21, 1722, Jane Stickney, daughter of John and Hannah (Brocklebank) Stickney.

STICKNEY LINEAGE.

In England.

Robert Stickney of Frampton, Lincolnshire, England, made his will Oct. 3, and was buried Oct. 18, 1582. His son William Stickney of Frampton, baptized Dec. 30, 1558; married, June 16, 1585, Margaret Peirson.

In New England.

(*Gen. I*) William Stickney, son of William and Margaret (Peirson) Stickney, baptized in St. Mary's Church, Frampton, Lincolnshire, England, Sept. 6, 1592; with wife Elizabeth sailed from Hull, England, probably 1637; members of the church in Boston, Nov. 6, 1638. Their son,

(*Gen. II*) Lieut. Samuel Stickney, married (1st) in Rowley, Mass., 2, 18, 1653, Julian Swan, daughter of Richard Swan and wife Ann. Their son,

(*Gen. III*) Samuel Stickney, married Mary Heseltine, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Langhorne) Heseltine. Their son,

(*Gen. IV*) Thomas Stickney, married (1st), June 29, 1715-16, Mary Mullicken, daughter of Robert and Rebecca Mullicken. Their son,

(*Gen. V*) Amos Stickney, married, Jan. 22, 1743, Hannah Syle, daughter of John and Jane (Stickney) Syle. Their daughter,

(*Gen. VI*) Jane Stickney, married (1st), Jan. 4, 1764, John Mears. (Stickney Genealogy, p. 109; Tewksbury Town Records.) Their son,

(*Gen. VII*) Elijah Mears, married April 8, 1802, Catherine Marshall Raymond, daughter of William Raymond and his second wife Mary Jennings. Their daughter,

(*Gen. VIII*) Harriette Mears, was married (1st) in Boston, Nov. 12, 1833 to Edmund Winchester, Jr., of Boston, by the Rev. Baron Stow, D.D. Their daughter,

(*Gen. IX*) Fanny Winchester, was married in New Haven, Conn., May 9, 1866, to Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, by the Rev. Edwin Harwood, D.D., Rector of Trinity Church. (Trinity Church Records.)

Fanny (Winchester) Hotchkiss eleventh in descent from Robert Stickney of Frampton, Lincolnshire, England.

RAYMOND LINEAGE.

In England.

George Rayment of the parish of St. John, in Glaston County, Somerset. His will drawn June 26, 1651; proved Oct. 30, 1651. Died between June and October, 1651.

CHILDREN.

1. Dorothy Rayment, married —— Robyns. Had one child at time of her father's death.
2. Maurice Rayment. Living at time of his father's death. Had wife and child. Became whole and sole executor of his father.
3. William Rayment. According to will, "my son that is in New England."
4. Elizabeth Rayment. According to will, "my daughter that is in New England."
5. John Rayment. According to will, "my son that is in New England, one shilling."

Will of George Rayment, published in New England Genealogical Register, Jan., 1895, p. 136:

George Rayment, of the parish of St. John in Glaston Co. Somerset, will drawn 26 June 1651, proved 30 Oct. 1651. My body to be buried in the churchyard of St. John. To my daughter Dorothy Robyns and her child 40 s and all the goods I have in the house I live in, in the churchyard, and my best breeches and jacket and my best shoes, to my daughter Dorothy's husband of Streete. To the wife of my son Maurice Rayment and her child 40 s. Item. I give and bequeath to William Rayment, my son that is in New England £6. if ever he doth come to Glaston to demand it. Item. I give and bequeath to Elizabeth Rayment, my daughter that is in New England, 20 s, if ever she doth come to Glaston to demand it. To John Seemer, son of William Seemer 20 s. To Luce Seemer, daughter of William Seemer of said Glaston, 20 s. 20 s I give to discharge my funeral expenses. All the rest of my goods etc. I give to my son Maurice Rayment, whom I make my whole and sole executor. Two overseers I do appoint William Seemer and William Billocks. Item. I give to John Rayment, my son that is in New England, one shilling.

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Note by H. F. Waters:

"Here we have the family of William and old John Rayment of Beverly. . . . There was a Richard Raymond of Salem, who lived in the south part of Essex St., who removed to Norwalk and Saybrook, but I have never seen the slightest relation between him and these Rayments of Beverly. . . . John Rayment, I believe, succeeded to ownership of the farm, belonging once to Thomas Scruggs, one of the old planters, and the old Rayment house (I hope) stands there today. I have often passed it in my walks."

Therefore, William and John Raymond are sons of George Rayment of the parish of St. John's, in Glaston County, Somerset, England.

In New England.

Elijah Mears married, April 8, 1802, Catherine Marshall Raymond, daughter of William Raymond and his second wife, Mary Jennings. They were married in Boston by the Rev. Thomas Baldwin, D.D., Pastor of the Second or Baldwin Place Baptist Church of Boston, Mass.

(*Gen. I*) John Raymond of Bass River (now Beverly), Mass., born about 1619. (In a deposition dated Aug. 28, 1657, John Raymond says he was 38 years old.) He married (1st)

Rachel Scruggs, daughter of Thomas Scruggs, a prominent and influential man in the young colony. She died May 2, 1666. He married (2d) Judith, the widow of William Woodbury, Jr. She died Oct. 31, 1705. He died Jan. 18, 1703.

CHILDREN OF JOHN RAYMOND AND FIRST WIFE, RACHEL SCRUGGS.

1. John Raymond, born about 1650.
2. Thomas Raymond, born about 1653.
3. Bethia Raymond, born June 14, 1655; died Dec. 10, 1662.
4. Abigail Raymond, died Dec. 10, 1662.
5. Rachel Raymond, born Feb. 14, 1659.
6. Eliza Raymond, died Dec. 25, 1662.
7. Jonathan Raymond, born April 25, 1666.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, JUDITH WOODBURY.

8. Abigail Raymond, baptized Nov. 13, 1670.
9. Benjamin Raymond, born Aug. 24, 1672; died Sept. 16, 1672.

John Raymond of Middleboro, Mass., in 1704 deeds to his brother Jonathan, then of Beverly, "land of my uncle, Capt. William Raymond, and his son George, in Beverly, by the land I sold my brother Thomas Raymond and land of my son Samuel Raymond; his wife Martha quitclaims dower rights." (Plymouth County, Mass., Deeds, Vol. 17, p. 24.)

(*Gen. II*) Thomas Raymond, born about 1653; died about 1732; married Mary ——.

Capt. Thomas Raymond, Salem. Estate administered by widow Mary, Jonathan Raymond and Jonathan Dodge, Oct. 23, 1732. He owned a house on the country road. Nov. 4, 1732, widow Mary is incompetent as she is in her second childhood. Mar. 4, 1734: Whereas, widow Mary and Jonathan Raymond "being removed," Roger Conant took administration. (Probate File, 23283.)

The above proves that Capt. Thomas Raymond remained in Salem. His son Jonathan removed to Lexington.

Capt. Thomas Rayment and Lieut. William Rayment were allowed for services at County York, Maine, last spring, with their officers and soldiers. Pay ordered, £162, 4, 7. Wednesday, July 7, 1700. (Council Records, Vol. 3, p. 141.)

Capt. Thomas and Mary Raymond had children, baptized in the First Church in Salem:

1. Thomas Raymond, baptized Sept. 14, 1684. } twins.
2. Mary Raymond, baptized Sept. 14, 1684. }
   (This is probably the Mary Raymond who married Roger Conant in 1698. See History of the Conant Family.)
3. Jonathan Raymond, baptized May 23, 1686.
4. Abigail Raymond, baptized July 29, 1688.
5. Josiah Raymond, baptized June 15, 1690.
6. Mehetabel Raymond, baptized Aug. 23, 1691.
7. Sarah Raymond, baptized Nov. 19, 1693.
   (Beverly Baptisms, *Putnam's Magazine*, Jan., 1898.)

(*Gen. III*) Jonathan Raymond, baptized in First Church of Salem, Mass., May 23, 1686. (Beverly Baptisms, in *Putnam's Magazine* for Jan., 1898.) Resided in Beverly. "At a meeting of the church April 26, 1722, Jonathan Rayment was chosen deacon." (History of Beverly, by Edwin M. Stone, p. 262.) He removed to Lexington, Mass. He married Charity Gale, daughter of Edmond and Sarah (Dixie) Gale of Marblehead and Beverly, Mass. She was born about 1688; died March 9, 1768. He died in Lexington in 1742, where his will was drawn Aug. 16, 1742; probated Nov., 1742.

CHILDREN.

1. Jonathan Raymond, born Feb. 21, 1702.
2. Samuel Raymond, baptized July 3, 1709. (First Church of Salem.)
3. Thomas Raymond, baptized March 4, 1710. (First Church of Salem.)
4. William Raymond. He probably married in Boston, Aug. 24, 1738, Elizabeth Pratt.
5. Sarah Raymond.
6. Bartholomew Raymond, baptized Jan. 16, 1714, Salem, Mass.; married, Nov. 15, 1734, in Boston, Elizabeth Champlin.
7. Mary Raymond, baptized April 14, 1717, in Beverly.
8. Josiah Raymond, baptized May 31, 1719, in Beverly.
9. Mehitable Raymond, baptized Oct. 15, 1721, in Beverly.
10. Charity Raymond, baptized Sept. 18, 1726, in Beverly.

(*Gen. IV*) Thomas Raymond, son of Jonathan and Charity (Gale) Raymond; baptized in First Church of Salem, Mass., March 4, 1710; moved from Lexington to Boston, Mass. Middlesex County Deeds, Vol. 43, p. 423, prove that he was

first in Lexington, then in Boston in March, 1734; also that Thomas Rayment of Boston, wife Margaret, the son of Jonathan Raymond of Lexington, was in Boston in May, 1747. (Vol. 45, p. 746.) He married (1st) in Boston, May 22, 1735, Joanna Green. (Boston Town Records.) Married (2d) in Charlestown, Mass., April 13, 1743, Margaret, daughter of Abraham and Abigail Durant Ireland. (History of Billerica, Mass.) Married (3d) Jane ——, who survived him and who administered his estate, of which the inventory was taken Aug. 16, 1790. (Suffolk County Probate, Vol. 99, p. 530.) Widow Jane Raymond died in Charlestown, Mass., July, 1827, aged 94, therefore born in 1733. He died in Boston in 1790.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS RAYMOND (PROBABLY BY FIRST WIFE, JOANNA GREEN.)

1. THOMAS RAYMOND.
2. JOANNA RAYMOND, married Benjamin Jennings in 1778.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND MARGARET (IRELAND) RAYMOND.

3. JONATHAN RAYMOND, baptized Sept. 2, 1744, in New North Church, Boston.
4. WILLIAM RAYMOND, born about 1748.
5. EPHRAIM RAYMOND, born April 12, 1764, in Boston.

(*Gen. V*) William Raymond, son of Thomas Raymond and his second wife, Margaret Ireland, was born about 1748. At the city registrar's office in Boston the following facts were learned in 1896 by Miss E. W. Leavitt, a Boston genealogist: Rev. John Webb was first pastor of the New North Church, then of the Second, and their books prove that William Raymond was the son of Thomas and Margaret (Ireland) Raymond, and born in 1747-8. He was living on Common Street (now Tremont), Boston, from 1796 to 1803.

William Raymond married (1st), April 21, 1773, Katherine Marshall. (Boston Marriage Intentions, Vol. V. p. 296.) Fact of marriage confirmed by Harriet C. Parsons of East Mansfield, Mass., granddaughter of Ephraim Raymond. She died June, 1897. He married (2d), Aug. 1, 1776, Mary Jennings, daughter of Benjamin and Abigail (Shed) Jennings. She was born June 9, 1742; died Jan. 28, 1784. (Boston Second

Church Records.) William Raymond, July 15, 1776, Mary Jennings. (Boston Marriage Intentions, Vol. V, p. 351.) He married (3d), July 31, 1785, Betsey Jackson. (Boston Second Church Records.) William Raymond, March 31, 1785, Betsey Jackson. (Boston Books, 1646-1800, Marriage Intentions, Vol. VI, p. 69.

Elizabeth Raymond, their daughter, was born March 3, 1790. She married James Clark in 1812; and died in Boston, April 27, 1864, aged 74 years. (These facts from her daughter, Mrs. Lynes of Cambridge, Mass.)

William Raymond married (4th), Sept. 8, 1796, Lydia Mellice (Mellus). (Boston Marriages, Town Books, 1646-1800.) William Raymond, Aug. 8, 1796, Lydia Mellice (Mellus). (Boston Marriage Intentions, Vol. VI, p. 362.) He died Nov. 1, 1803, aged 55 years. Estate settled in 1803 by widow Lydia. (Boston Deaths, 1700-1800.)

William Raymond admitted to Second Church (now (1897) the Copley Square Unitarian Church of Boston), June 29, 1777. He had baptized: 1. Polly, June 29, 1777. 2. Katy, June 3, 1779 (this is Catherine Marshall Raymond). 3. William, Dec. 2, 1781. (Records of Second Church, Boston.)

(*Gen. VI*) Catherine Marshall Raymond, born Dec. 25, 1778 (on tombstone); baptized June 3, 1779; married, April 8, 1802, Elijah Mears.

(*Gen. VII*) Harriette Mears, born Jan. 26, 1816, in Boston, Mass.; married (1st), Nov. 12, 1833, Edmund Winchester, Jr., of Boston. Their daughter, Fanny Winchester, married, May, 1866, Justus Street Hotchkiss of New Haven, Conn.

William Raymond's brother Ephraim Raymond of Norton and Mansfield, Mass., was born in Boston, April 12, 1764, and they were both children of William and Margaret (Ireland) Raymond. (Facts confirmed by Harriet C. Parsons, granddaughter of Ephraim Raymond of Norton and Mansfield, Mass.)

As Ephraim Raymond's family was closely allied to my grandmother Mears' family and always kept up a warm friend-

ship with her, it is desired to give a short sketch of the above Ephraim Raymond of Norton, Bristol County, Mass., later of Mansfield, Mass., where he died suddenly, May 21, 1840.

Ephraim Raymond, born in Boston, April 12, 1764, was own brother to William Raymond, born there about 1748. He was married at South Raynham, Mass., by the Rev. Dr. Perez Forbes, Oct. 30, 1788, to Polly Dean.

Capt. Dauphin King was married at Norton, Oct. 2, 1825, by the Rev. Pitt Clark to Harriet Augusta Raymond, born at Norton, Mass., June 6, 1802, the daughter of Ephraim Raymond and Polly Dean.

Old Gen. Cobb, grandfather of Capt. King, was a Brigadier-General in the Revolutionary Army. (Miss H. C. Parsons, in 1896.)

A correct account of births, baptisms, marriages and deaths of Ephraim Raymond's family was copied from family Bible by Mrs. Justus S. Hotchkiss, Oct., 1896, when on a short visit to Miss Harriet C. Parsons of East Mansfield, Mass., this Bible having belonged to her grandfather, Ephraim Raymond, first of Norton, afterwards of Mansfield, Mass., where he died. Nearly all the items are in Ephraim Raymond's own handwriting. For convenience, I have placed each list of births and marriages by itself.

Ephraim Raymond, son of Thomas and Margaret Raymond, was born in Boston, Thursday, April 12, 1764.

Polly Dean, daughter of Josiah Dean, Esq., and Sarah, his wife, was born in Raynham, Tuesday, Dec. 24, 1771, being their eldest child.

Ephraim Raymond and Polly Dean, aforesaid, were happily united in the bands of wedlock Oct. 30, 1788, at South Raynham, by the Rev. Dr. Perez Forbes, and moved into the town of Norton, June 3, 1789, and unto them were born the following children—(Facts chiefly from a letter to Miss Harriet C. Parsons in July, 1896. She was the daughter of Maria Raymond, who married, Sept., 1813, Leonard Chester Parsons of New York, and the granddaughter of Ephraim Raymond):

Harriet A. Raymond was born in 1802; married 1825; died 1840, leaving one son, the late Dr. Frank King, and two daughters, Mrs. Ellen K. West of California, and Mrs. Samuel W. Rogers of Hingham, Mass.

Margaret Raymond was born 1795; married Joseph Lane, 1815; died 1879.

Julia Raymond, born 1797; died Jan., 1892; unmarried.

Charlotte Raymond, born 1803; married John Pierce, 1855; died 1874.

Ephraim Raymond was a boy of ten at the time of the siege of Boston. His father removed his family when there was a prospect of the British invading the city, but he, with the child, did not succeed in getting out in season, and all those dreary months of loneliness and, at the last, privation were never forgotten. His mother intended that he should have a collegiate course and it was her earnest wish that he should be a minister, but those were troublous times and the funds she had intended for his education were all lost in the depreciated currency. He was early deprived of his mother's care, but his father gave him a good business education and he early engaged in mercantile pursuits and was also a large manufacturer, employing many persons, thus having an extended influence, which was always for good. He informed himself on legal matters, was a Justice for many years, doing the ordinary law business of the town.

Being a fine speaker, he was often called upon for an oration or lecture at home and in adjoining towns; thus he had a busy life, eminently useful, where his lot was cast (if not just in the lines his mother had marked out). He was loved and respected by all as a true friend and Christian gentleman.

Ephraim Raymond had but one wife, Polly Dean, born Dec. 24, 1771, the daughter of Hon. Josiah Dean and Mrs. Sarah Byram Dean.

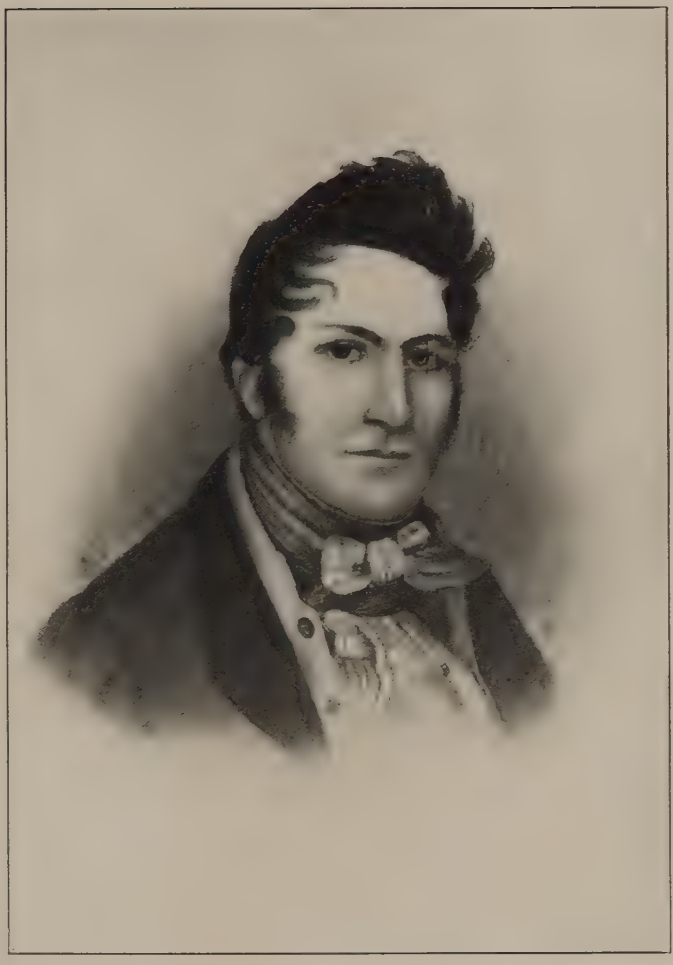
Sarah Byram Dean was the daughter of Eliab Byram, a graduate of Harvard of 1870, a classmate of Samuel Adams of Revolutionary memory.

William Henry Raymond, eldest son of Ephraim and Polly (Dean) Raymond, was born at Norton, Bristol County, Mass., Feb. 15, 1791. He was a merchant and settled at Charleston, S. C., where he married Mary Kennedy Watson, stepdaughter of John Hunter. She was born about 1798-9, and died in 1869. William Henry Raymond died from the effects of yellow fever in 1822, leaving an infant son, Henry Hunter Raymond. This child was educated by his mother's stepfather, John Hunter, and was fitted for college at Charleston. He entered his class in sophomore year and graduated in 1841. His mother was in New Haven with him while he was in college. After his graduation he studied law in Charleston until 1843, then went to the Law School in Cambridge, Mass., receiving his LL.B. from Harvard in 1845. He was admitted to the bar at Charleston, S. C., May 14, 1845. Dec. 5, 1848, he was married in old St. Michael's Church, Charleston, to Caroline Rosalie Taveau, daughter of Auguste Louis Taveau of Havre, France, and Caroline Martha Swinton of Charleston, S. C., a lady of Scotch ancestry, the widow Ball when she married Mr. Taveau. Henry Hunter Raymond and Caroline Rosalie Taveau had three daughters. All died but one, Rosalie, born April 1, 1857. Mrs. Raymond died at Columbia, S. C., June 16, 1862, and Henry Hunter Raymond died at his home on East Battery Street, Charleston, S. C., May 31, 1876, aged 53 years.

He served on the Confederate side during the whole of the Civil War, mostly as a staff officer, and in and around Charleston; some of the time in Virginia, as at the battle of Cold Harbor, etc.; before the close of the war he became a major. I will copy a few extracts from a letter written to Rev. S. W. Barnum, Secretary of the Class of 1841, by Gen. E. L. Dana (Yale 1838), which was read at the class meeting in 1876. Gen. Dana, with nearly sixty Federal officers, were prisoners of war at Charleston, S. C., when Capt. Raymond, being in command there, received an order from Richmond to place these prisoners where they would be under the fire of their own guns. This order distressed Capt. Raymond, and having consulted the provost marshal of Charleston, who sympathized with him in

William Henry Raymond.

Died at Charleston, S. C.
1822.



this matter, they selected a building which was technically "under fire," and yet was not within the range of any of our guns, where the officers remained uninjured until they were exchanged.

Speaking of him, Gen. Dana, in his letter of June 19, 1876, says:

"As soon as an opportunity occurred of speaking to him, I enquired whether he was not a graduate of Yale? He replied that he was and that he belonged to the class of 1841. I, of course, informed him that I was also a graduate, of the class of 1838. The recognition was cordial, fraternal, and was followed by results very gratifying to myself and my fellow prisoners. He enquired into our wants, etc., and although no promises were made, or special assurances held out, so far as I recollect, our fare was much improved from that time forward, and in a few days we were removed to a private unoccupied frame dwelling-house, where we were quite comfortable and were subjected to no more than the usual and necessary inconveniences and restraints of prisoners of war . . . The officers and men of the guard having us in charge were kind and respectful. Capt. Raymond visited us frequently . . . He was, as I understand, upon the staff of the general in command of the city; and I have the impression that among his duties was the general oversight of the prisoners of war. I have no doubt, whatever his position and duties were, that we owed our improved condition and circumstances to his humane promptings, to his considerate kindness, and to his reverence for old Yale and his sympathy for her sons. In his frequent visits, he enquired especially into the condition and wants of our sick and sent to my care, for distribution among them, delicacies . . . and several bottles of wine and of brandy stimulants that, in the low and exhausted condition of some of the sick, and in the absence of all medical supplies, were extremely needed. In this way he incurred considerable expense, for wines and brandies were costly luxuries, which commanded exorbitant prices. . . .

The want of books was seriously felt. Capt. Raymond, on learning this want, offered to send his library, or a portion of it, to our quarters . . . but we learned that a shell or shot from one of our heavy guns on Morris Island had struck his house and the books had been partially buried in the rubbish. This blundering Yankee shot did not discourage the captain's purpose of ministering to the intellectual wants of the Yankee prisoners . . . and as soon as they could be extricated from the ruins and the dust removed, some one hundred and fifty or two hundred volumes of choice books, many of them English editions in costly bindings and elegantly illustrated, were brought to our quarters for our use.

It is quite possible that Capt. Raymond may, as you intimate in your letter, have aided in hastening or effecting the exchange of our party on the 3d of August, 1864, for fifty Confederate officers of like rank, but of this I have no knowledge. One thing I do know, that we

were hungry, dispirited, sick and in prison, and he visited and ministered to us. I sincerely trust and believe that He who has promised His blessing to such actions, will recognize and reward the Christian, humane and noble conduct of Captain Raymond in the great day of account. There are other incidents and circumstances to which, if present in person at your reunion, I should be happy to refer. In all his intercourse with us, in all he did for us, there was no act or word incompatible with his position and duty as a Confederate officer, conscientiously advocating the supposed rights of the South. He granted us no undue privilege, relaxed no necessary rule or restraint, but whilst remembering and discharging the duties of his office, he remembered also his duty to his God and to his brother, and harmonized the rules of military and prison discipline with the golden rule of doing unto others as he would that others should do unto him. I have often wished to meet him again and express my gratitude for his generous kindness, and deeply regret his death."

IRELAND LINEAGE.

Thomas Raymond, baptized in First Church, Salem, Mass., March 4, 1710, son of Jonathan and Charity (Gale) Raymond, married (1st) in Boston, May 22, 1735, Joanna Green. (Boston Town Records.) Married (2d) in Charlestown, Mass., April 13, 1743, Margaret Ireland, daughter of Abraham and Abigail (Durant) Ireland. Margaret Ireland (a twin) was born Jan. 6, 1723. Her parents Abraham Ireland and Abigail Durant, were married Aug. 9, 1697, by Rev. William Brattle, in Cambridge, Mass. (Cambridge First Church Records.)

John Durant married, Nov. 16, 1670, Susan, daughter of Thomas Dutton. Their daughter Abigail Durant, born Sept. 24, 1681. (History of Billerica, Mass.)

The following William Ireland was evidently the first emigrant.

William Ireland was of Dorchester, 1648; dismissed to New Church in Boston, 3, 12, 1660, bought at Runney Marsh (now Chelsea), 1650; his first wife, mother of his children, not known; Abigail Greenland was a second wife; she was the eldest child of John and Lydia (Sprague) Greenland, and referred to in John Greenland's will. She died in Malden (Mystic Side) November 21, 1715, aged 74 years, therefore born in 1641.

William Ireland, with Aaron Way, bought at Mystic Side, Feb., 1651-2; then this William must have been at that time at least 21 years old, so born in 1630. As Abraham Ireland died Jan. 24, 1753, in the eighty-first year of his age, he must have been born in 1671-2, and therefore could easily have been the son of William Ireland. The only point against the theory that Abraham was William Ireland's son is the following taken from Old Cambridge Epitaphs:

Mr. Abraham Ireland, died Jan. 24, 1753, in the eighty-first year of his age. "God brought him from a distant land." Why "from a distant land" if he were William Ireland's son?

Abraham Ireland, probably the son of William Ireland by his first wife.

Cambridge First Church: "Abraham Ireland and wife owned the Covenant 1700."

Abraham and Abigail (Durant) Ireland had children baptized at Cambridge:

1. Margaret Ireland, Dec. 29, 1700. According to Old Cambridge Epitaphs this Margaret died Jan. 17, 1721, aged 21 years.
2. Abigail Ireland, Feb. 14, 1702-3; married Eben Shed.
3. John Ireland, May 27, 1705.
4. Mary Ireland, Feb. 8, 1708; married at Cambridge, Aug. 18, 1725, to Thomas Hutchinson of Charlestown. She died Feb. 6, 1790. He died March 10, 1784.
5. Elizabeth Ireland, July 23, 1710; married Ephraim Osborn.
6. Abraham Ireland, April 26, 1713; married April 8, 1736, at Dorchester, Mass., to Anne Bird, born in Boston, Nov. 24, 1714, daughter of Benjamin and Johanna Bird. Johanna Bird, daughter of John and Mary Harris of Ipswich. (Boston *Transcript*, Nov. 17, 1897.)
7. Thomas Ireland, Sept. 25, 1715.
8. Shadrack Ireland, Jan. 16, 1718.
9. Jonathan Ireland, Oct. 11, 1719.
10. Margaret Ireland, born Jan. 6, 1723.
11. Thamasen Ireland, born Jan. 6, 1723.

Margaret Ireland married, April 13, 1743, Thomas Raymond. They were the parents of William Raymond, born about 1748. His daughter,

Catherine Marshall Raymond, born Dec. 25, 1778, married Elijah Mears, April 8, 1802.

SCRUGGS LINEAGE.

John Raymond married (1st) Rachel Scruggs, daughter of Thomas Scruggs.

Thomas Scruggs, Salem, came with the companions of Endicott in the *Abigail,* 1628.

From Massachusetts Bay Colony Records, Vol. 1, p. 175, Mr. Thomas Scruggs of Salem was elected one of the magistrates of the Particular Court, May 25, 1636.

At Vol. I, p. 164, Mr. Thomas Scruggs was elected deputy to the Great and General Court of Massachusetts Bay, March 3, 1635-6, from Salem, Mass.

Page 178, Mr. Thomas Scruggs was Deputy, Sept. 8, 1636.

Page 185, Goodman Thomas Scruggs was Deputy, Dec. 7, 1636.

Vol. II, p. 159, June 27, 1636, Mr. Thomas Scruggs was one of five judges appointed for Salem; they took the oath as Commissioners.

Vol. IV, p. 92, Mr. Thomas Scruggs had a land grant of 300 acres on the outermost side of Salem, 2, 11, 1635 (near Marblehead).

Vol. I, p. 212, Mr. Thomas Scruggs was disarmed Nov. 20, 1637, for Antinomianism.

Essex Hist. Col., Vol. I, p. II, The inventory of Thomas Scruggs, deceased, was taken 4, 24, 1654; widow Margery ——.

Felt, Annals of Salem, says: "Mr. Thomas Scruggs came in the *Abigail,* 1628, with Winthrop's Company."

From American Biography, by Jared Sparks, Boston, 1845, at p. 374, about Ann Hutchinson: "The names of the signers or approvers of this remonstrance, being of course those, who for this act, were disarmed by order of the Court, are thus given upon the record: Colony Records, Vol. I, p. 208: of Salem, were Mr. Scruggs, Mr. Alfoot, Mr. Cummings, goodman Robert Moulton, goodman King."

From History of Salem Witchcraft, by Charles W. Upham, Vol. I, p. 66: "William Alford was an early settler. Alford

sympathized in religious views with his neighbor Scruggs, and with him was subjected to censure, and disarmed by order of the General Court." At p. 67: "Five of the most valuable of the first settlers of the village—Weston, Waterman, Scruggs, Alford and Bishop were thus early driven into exile, or subdued to silence, by the stern policy on which the colony was founded. It is an error to characterize this as religious bigotry. It was not so much a theological as a political persecution."

At page 64: "Thomas Scruggs was an early inhabitant of Salem, often represented the town as deputy in the General Court; was one of the judges of the local court, and always recognized among the rulers of the town. In January, 1636, he received a grant of three hundred acres on the southwest limits of its territory. The next month, an exchange took place, recorded in the town-book of grants, between Mr. Scruggs and Capt. Trask. This brought Scruggs upon the Salem Farms, between Bass River and the great pond Wenham Lake. The real object in making this arrangement was to advance a project, which the leading people of Salem, at that time, had much at heart. They were very desirous to have the college established on the tract relinquished by Scruggs. The effort failed. Capt. Trask and Mr. Scruggs had done all they could to accomplish it, and gave their energies to the welfare of the community in other directions."

In an address at the Essex Institute celebration (about 1898 or earlier) Pres. Robert Rantoul said: "Harvard College came near being placed on Scruggs land in Salem, when it would have been named Scrugg's College."

Again from Salem Witchcraft, by Upham, p. 64: "From the little that is recorded of Scruggs, it is quite evident that he was an intelligent and valuable citizen. The event that brought his career as a public man to a close, proves that his mind was enlightened, liberal and independent; that he was in advance of the times in which he lived. When the bitter and violent persecution of the celebrated Anne Hutchinson, on account of her Antinomian sentiments, took place, Mr. Scruggs disap-

proved and denounced it. He gave his whole influence, earnestly and openly against such attempts to suppress freedom of inquiry and the rights of conscience. He, with others in Salem, was proscribed, disarmed, and deprived of public functions. He appears to have been suffered to remain unmolested on his estate, and died there in 1654. He had but one child, Rachel, and the name as derived from him, became extinct. The inventory of his property is dated on the 24th of June of that year. The items mentioned in it amount to £244. 10 s. 2 d. Considering the rates of value at that time, it was a large property. At the same date, an agreement is recorded, by which his widow, Margery, conveys to her son-in-law, John Raymond, all her real estate, upon these conditions: She to have the use of her house during her life, the bedding and other 'household stuff' and he to pay her five pounds 'in hand' twenty pounds per annum, and five pounds 'at the hour of her death.' This was an ample provision in those times for her comfort, while she lived, and for her funeral charges. I do not remember to have found this last point arranged for, in such a form of expression, in any other instance."

Catherine Marshall Raymond, wife of Elijah Mears, seventh in descent from Thomas Scruggs and wife Margery.

PART SECOND

CHAPTER I

Children of Capt. John Winchester and White Lineage.

Capt. John Winchester's Estate.

Elizabeth (Winchester) Gardner.

Col. Thomas Gardner.

Sarah (Winchester) Dana and Childrèen.

Lineage of Mrs. Edward E. Atwater of New Haven, Conn.

A Short Bowen Lineage.

Lineage of Ezra Hutchings Winchester and of George R. Presson of San Francisco, Cal.

Joanna (Winchester) Sparhawk.

Isaac Winchester.

Nathan Winchester of Brookline, afterwards of Nova Scotia, and His Descendants.

CHAPTER I

CHILDREN OF CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER.

Capt. John Winchester married three times; (1st) Sarah White, born Dec. 5, 1680, daughter of Lieut. John White, born 1642; died March 28, 1695. He married Elizabeth Bowles, daughter of Elder John Bowles. She died Jan. 1, 1699-1700.

Lieut. John White, son of John White of Watertown, who had estates there as early as 1639, moved to Muddy River (Brookline) about 1650; became a large proprietor in Brookline. He married Frances ——, and died in Brookline, April 15, 1691.

Sarah, wife of Capt. John Winchester, died Jan. 31, 1715-16.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER AND HIS FIRST WIFE, SARAH WHITE.

1. Elizabeth Winchester, born Dec. 30, 1701-2; married Richard Gardner. (Suffolk Probate Records, Vol. 47, pp. 87, 357: Adm. of estate of John Winchester of Brookline.)
2. Sarah Winchester, born in 1703; married Isaac Dana of Pomfret, Conn., April, 1723. (From Sarah descends Mrs. Edward E. Atwater of New Haven.)
3. John Winchester, born in 1705; was married Feb. 25, 1729, to Elizabeth Green at Reading, Mass., by William Briant, Esq. (From Records from B. F. Baker, Town Clerk of Brookline in 1897.) (From this John descends George R. Presson of San Francisco, Cal.)
4. Joanna Winchester, born March 13, 1709-10; married Samuel Sparhawk. (From Records B. F. Baker, Town Clerk of Brookline in 1897. Suffolk Probate, Vol. 47, pp. 87, 357.)
5. Isaac Winchester, born 1712-14. (According to Mr. Presson, Isaac died Feb. 14, 1771, aged 57, making birth in 1714.) Joined the church Aug. 16, 1741; married Mary, daughter of James and Mary (Adams) Shed. (Crafts Genealogy.) Died Feb. 15, 1771, aged 59. (Suffolk Probate, March 21, 1721, Vol. 22, pp. 435, 438, 439, 440.)

Capt. John Winchester married (2d), about 1716-17, Sarah Gardner,* daughter of Solomon, Jr., and Mary (Danforth) Phipps, the widow of Caleb Gardner. She died Jan. 12, 1750. (Town Records.)

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER AND HIS SECOND WIFE, SARAH GARDNER.

6. Danforth Winchester, born March 8, 1718; baptized March 15, 1719; died in Brookline, March 18, 1719. (Brookline Parish Records. B. F. Baker, Town Clerk in 1897.)
7. Bethia (or Bertha) Winchester, born Dec. 20, 1720; baptized Jan. 1, 1721; died in Brookline, Sept. 2, 1722. (Parish Records; Winchester by Presson.)
8. Samuel Winchester, baptized Dec. 10, 1722. (First Parish Records of Brookline; also, Town Records.) Died July 13, 1751. Is not mentioned in his father's will of September, 1751 (according to Winchester by Presson).

   From Roxbury City Books (given me in 1911): Page 141, Samuel Winchester married, Nov. 19, 1747, Joanna West. Page 131, Benjamin West married, June 19, 1719, Joanna Swiverton. Their daughter (p. 57) Joanna West, born Jan. 22, 1720. Benjamin West was the son of John West of Boston, signed as one of the heirs.

   As the marriage of Samuel Winchester is the only fact mentioned in regard to him in Roxbury Records, it seems probable that he lived in some other town. No record is found of him in Milton, nor Roxbury First Church Records, nor Brookline Records.
9. Nathan Winchester, born April 16, 1724. (Town and Parish Records, from B. F. Baker, Town Clerk, Brookline.) Married at Concord, Mass., Oct. 17, 1746, to Beulah Parks of Concord by R. D. Bliss. (Concord, Mass., Records.) Beulah, daughter of Josiah and Sarah Parks, was born in Concord, Mass., Nov. 8, 1727.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF NATHAN AND BEULAH (PARKS) WINCHESTER.

i Sarah Winchester, born June 15, 1747.
ii. John Winchester, born Sept. 22, 1748; baptized Jan. 12, 1749, by Mr. Bowman.

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* Gardner-Phipps, Wyman's Charlestown, Vol. 1, p. 398: Caleb Gardner, Jr., married, April 10, 1707, Sarah Phipps at Cambridge; he died 1716. Also from town books of Cambridge, Mass., Vol. 2, p. 171, this same marriage is given. The deeds show that John Winchester married widow Gardner, 1716-17.

iii. NATHAN WINCHESTER, baptized July 8, 1750, by Rev. Cotton Brown. (Parish Records of Brookline, Mass.)
iv. BEULAH WINCHESTER, baptized in Framingham, Sept. 26, 1756.

And the following children are given in Calnek's History of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, though it states the order may be wrong:

v. JOSIAH WINCHESTER.
vi. MARY WINCHESTER, born in 1756.
vii. ISAAC WINCHESTER, born 1769.
viii. JOHN WINCHESTER. Probably the same John born in 1748 in Brookline.
ix. SPENCER WINCHESTER.
x. WILLIAM WINCHESTER. (See Nathan Winchester.)

10. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born Nov. 23, 1728. (Town Records.)
11. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, baptized Sept. 1, 1734. (First Parish Records, p. 73, Brookline Hist. Pub. Society.)

Capt. John Winchester married (3d) Alice Craft, then the widow of James Shed, her fourth husband. This marriage probably took place in 1751. He had no children by his third wife.

John Winchester, Brookline; estate administered by son Isaac, March 6, 1752. (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 47, p. 87.)

John Winchester's estate divided between his widow and six children: Widow, Alice; youngest son, Nathan; eldest son, Isaac, now surviving; John, elder brother of Isaac, deceased; Elizabeth Gardner (Richard); Joanna Sparhawk (Samuel); Sarah Dana (Isaac); William and John, minors, under guardianship of Richard Green (John Jr.'s children). (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 47, p. 357.)

George R. Presson, in his Winchester pamphlet, gives the following children, which I have included in my list: Samuel Winchester, Martha Winchester, Abigail Winchester.

The dates of births, baptisms, deaths, of children of Capt. John Winchester by his first wife and by his second, are from Bowen Notes, by Edward Augustus Bowen; from Records of Brookline, given by Town Clerk B. F. Baker of Brookline

in 1897; from Winchester, by Presson, published in 1897; from Suffolk Probate, Vol. 22, pp. 435, 438, 439, 440; Vol. 47, pp. 87, 357.

ELIZABETH WINCHESTER.

Elizabeth Winchester, daughter of Capt. John and Sarah (White) Winchester, born Dec. 30, 1701-2; died Aug., 1795; married Richard Gardner between 1721 and 1725. (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 47, pp. 87, 357: Adm. of estate of John Winchester of Brookline.)

Her mother, Sarah White, was the daughter of Lieut. John and Elizabeth (Bowles) White, and the sister of John White, who graduated at Harvard 1685; was Treasurer of Harvard College from July, 1715 until his death, Dec. 11, 1721; was Clerk of the House of Representatives twenty successive years and chosen Fellow of Harvard College, Nov. 15, 1697.

John White of Boston, estate administered by brothers Isaac and Joseph, March 12, 1721. Elizabeth Winchester, aged about nineteen years, appoints her father, John Winchester of Brookline, to receive her portion of her uncle John White's estate, March 14, 1721. (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 22, p. 435.)

Richard Gardner and his wife were dismissed from the church in Brookline to the church in Cambridge in 1725. He was the first of the Gardner family in Cambridge, and died Jan. 9, 1776. His wife, Elizabeth, died Aug., 1795.

Richard Gardner was the son of Thomas and Mary (Bowles) Gardner of Roxbury; married, Nov. 17, 1673, the grandson of Thomas and Lucy (Smith) Gardner of Roxbury, Mass., the great-grandson of Thomas Gardner of Roxbury, Mass., who died Nov., 1638. (Paige's History of Cambridge, p. 557.)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF RICHARD AND ELIZABETH (WINCHESTER) GARDNER.

1. Thomas Gardner
2. Elizabeth Gardner.
3. John Gardner.
4. Sarah Gardner.

COL. THOMAS GARDNER.

Thomas Gardner, son of Richard and Elizabeth (Winchester) Gardner, married his cousin Joanna Sparhawk of Cambridge, June 12, 1755; the daughter of Samuel and Joanna (Winchester) Sparhawk. She was born Jan. 21, 1732-3. Thus the families of Elizabeth and Joanna Winchester were united.

Thomas Gardner was the patriotic Colonel who sealed his devotion to his country with his blood, on Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775. He died of his wounds July 3, 1775. His wife Joanna died Nov. 24, 1794.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND JOANNA (SPARHAWK) GARDNER.

1. RICHARD GARDNER, married Hannah Goldthwait.
2. THOMAS GARDNER.
3. THOMAS GARDNER, married Hannah, daughter of Isaac Gardner.
4. SAMUEL GARDNER.
5. ELIZABETH GARDNER

(History of Cambridge, by Lucius R. Paige.)

GARDNER'S DEATH.

Col. Thomas Gardner was the son of Elizabeth Winchester, the grandson of Capt. John Winchester, and he married his cousin Joanna Sparhawk, the daughter of Joanna Winchester.

Thomas Gardner sealed his devotion to his country with his blood on Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775, and it must not be forgotten that it was Cambridge who gave to the cause of freedom, one of her most illustrious sons. With the exception of General Warren, Col. Thomas Gardner held a higher military rank than any other who fell on that day; and like Warren, he was conspicuous in the political services which he rendered before the clash of arms. He was a Selectman of the town from 1769 until his death, Representative in the General Court from 1769 until that Court was superseded by the first Provincial Congress, of which, and also of the second Congress, he was one of the most active members. He was an energetic member of the

Committee of Correspondence, elected by the town in 1772, and by the House of Representatives in 1773, and of the Committee of Safety, elected by Congress, April 14, 1775. He was commissioned as an ensign in the company commanded by General Brattle in 1765, and Captain Lieutenant in 1771. When Brattle fled to Boston, he became the commander of the company, with Samuel Thatcher for Lieutenant and John Gardner as Ensign. Soon after the Battle of Lexington, in which he was actively engaged, he enlisted a regiment for the Continental Army, of which he was commissioned as Colonel, June 2, 1775. A fortnight later, he secured immortal fame. He led his regiment to Bunker Hill, and was just descending into the engagement, when a musket ball entered his groin, which proved mortal. He gave his last solemn injunction to his men to conquer or die. . . . After a fortnight of great suffering, he died from his wounds, July 3, 1775. (History of Cambridge, by Lucius R. Paige, pp. 418, 420; see also Frothingham's History of the Siege of Boston.)

SARAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Sarah Winchester, daughter of Capt. John and Sarah (White) Winchester, was born in Brookline, Mass., in 1703-4. She married, in 1723, Isaac Dana, son of Benjamin and Mary (Buckmaster or Buckminster) Dana; grandson of Richard Dana, the first settler. Isaac left Brookline and removed to Pomfret, Conn., where he died.

Isaac Dana was baptized in Cambridge, Oct. 10, 1697. (Paige's Cambridge, p. 527.) He died April 21, 1767, and is buried in the cemetery at Pomfret, Conn., where he and his wife lived and where his children were born.

Isaac Dana died April 21, 1767, and was buried in the cemetery in Pomfret, Conn., where there is a gravestone. He had fourteen children by his wife Sarah, so say our records here. (L. S. Hayward, Town Clerk of Pomfret Center, Conn., Dec., 1896.)

After the death of Isaac Dana, his widow went to Pomfret, Vt., where her son, John Winchester Dana, lived; and she probably died there. John Winchester Dana settled in Pomfret, Vt., in 1770-72.

Sarah Dana of Pomfret, Conn., widow, for £58, 4 s. 5½ d. pd. by Charles Winchester, sold her interest in the estate of her father, John Winchester, of Brookline, "more especially that part of said estate set off as dower or thirds to my mother Alice Winchester." Aug. 21, 1771. In presence of Matthew Bowen and Samuel Chandler. (Suffolk County Deeds, Boston, Mass., deeds 119-150.)

Alice Winchester was her stepmother, her father's third wife. (From Edward Augustus Bowen of Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1895.)

Sarah (Winchester) Dana, widow of Isaac Dana. March 23, 1773, Charles Winchester of Brookline states that he received from his aunt, Sarah Dana of Pomfret, on his grandfather's estate. (Suffolk County Deeds, 119-150.)

The above Charles Winchester, baptized Jan. 21, 1750, was the son of Isaac and Mary (Shed) Winchester, grandson of Capt. John and Sarah (White) Winchester.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF ISAAC AND SARAH (WINCHESTER) DANA.

1. SARAH DANA, born in Pomfret, Conn., in 1724; married, March 7, 1744, Simeon Sessions, and had eleven children.
2. ISAAC DANA, born Aug. 26, 1725, in Pomfret, Conn.; died Sept. 23, 1725.
3. MARY DANA, born March 3, 1726-7, in Pomfret, Conn.; married Capt. Matthew Bowen.
4. ISAAC DANA, born Oct. 26, 1728. Was aid to General Putnam and died Dec. 23, 1762, in the service.
5. JOANNA DANA, born Dec. 17, 1730.
6. ELIZABETH DANA, born March 14, 1731-2; married Jan. 2, 1755, Ebenezer Dunning and had five children.
7. BENJAMIN DANA, born Jan. 4, 1733-4; died of wounds received in battle near Lake George.
8. FRANCES DANA, born April 4, 1735; married John Troope, Esq., of Pomfret, Conn. He was Town Clerk 13 years; Representative, 1778, 1783 and 1787; Councilor from 1779 to 1784; Judge of Supreme Court, 1778 to 1780; and Judge of Probate, 1786 to 1792.

9. Benoni Dana, born Jan. 6, 1736-7.
10. Lois Dana, born April 5, 1738; married Oct. 1, 1761, Daniel Waldo and had: Lois and Lucy.
11. John Winchester Dana, born Jan., 1740, in Pomfret, Conn.; married, Oct., 1764, Hannah Pope Putnam, daughter of Gen. Israel Putnam. (Early Connecticut Marriages, Vol. I, p. 35.) He removed to Pomfret, Vermont, between 1770 and 1772. Was Town Clerk, etc. Representative in 1778, 1780, 1781, 1792. Died Feb., 1813; his wife died April 2, 1820.
12. Bethia Dana, born Nov. 15, 1742; married Amasa Lyon.
13. Martha Dana, born Sept. 12, 1745.
14. Judah Dana, born Oct. 26, 1748; died May 27, 1765.

(From Dana Genealogy, by John Jay Dana.)

LINEAGE OF MRS. EDWARD E. ATWATER OF NEW HAVEN, CONN.

CHILDREN OF JOHN WINCHESTER (SON OF ISAAC) AND HANNAH POPE (PUTNAM) DANA.

1. Isaac Dana, born Nov. 28, 1765; in Pomfret, Conn.; married (1) Sally Dean; (2) Laura Minor. He lived in Pomfret, Vt. Died May 2, 1831.
2. Betsey Dana, born 1768 in Pomfret, Conn.; married Jonathan Ware, Dartmouth, 1790. He labored on an Octoglot Bible. They lived in Pomfret, Vt.
3. Benjamin Dana, born 1770, in Pomfret, Conn.; married Sarah Shaw, and lived in Waterford, Ohio; died July 21, 1838.
4. Judah Dana, born 1772, in Pomfret, Vt.; Dartmouth, 1795; United States Attorney, 1805-11; Judge of Probate, 1811-22; Judge of Circuit Court; United States Senator, etc. Married (1st), 1810, Elizabeth Ripley, who died Nov. 15, 1819; married (2d) Widow McMillan; died Dec. 27, 1845.
5. Israel Putnam Dana, born 1774, in Pomfret, Vt.; married Sarah Smith and lived in Danville, Vt. State Councilor, etc.
6. Hannah P. Dana, born 1775 in Pomfret, Vt.; married Zebulon Lyon. Lived in Royalton and Woodstock, Vt. He died in Woodstock, Vt., 1850.
7. John Winchester Dana, born Jan. 16, 1777, in Pomfret, Vt.; married Susan, daughter of Rev. George Damon. Lived in Cabot and Danville, Vt.; Representative, Councilor and Judge. Removed to Southport, Wis. Died in 1850.
8. Daniel Dana, born 1778, in Pomfret, Vt.; married Persis Brown. Colonel in War of 1812.

9. Sarah Winchester Dana, born in 1779 in Pomfret, Vt.; married Elisha Smith; lived in Pomfret, Vt.
10. David Dana, born March 28, 1781, in Pomfret, Vt.; died March 12, 1839; married (1st), Nov. 24, 1805, Alice Hewitt, daughter of Stephen and Alice (Shepard) Hewitt. (2), Feb. 23, 1814, Rebecca Hart Chase, born in Cornish, N. H., May 2, 1791. They lived in Pomfret, Vt. Their daughter, Rebecca Hart Dana, born in 1819, married Rev. Edward E. Atwater of New Haven, Conn., and she died March 9, 1909.
11. Eunice Dana, born in 1783 in Pomfret, Vt.; married Harvey Chase; attorney; graduated at Yale. They lived in Cornish, N. H.
12. Schuyler Dana, born in 1785 in Pomfret, Vt.; died in infancy.
13. Polly Dana, born in 1787 in Pomfret, Vt.; died Oct., 1816.

David Dana, tenth child of John and Hannah Pope (Putnam) Dana, born in Pomfret, Vt., March 28, 1781; married (1st), Nov. 24, 1805, Alice Hewitt, daughter of Stephen and Alice (Shepard) Hewitt. She died Jan. 11, 1813. He married (2d), Feb. 23, 1814, Rebecca Hart Chase. David Dana died March 12, 1839.

CHILDREN OF DAVID AND ALICE (HEWITT) DANA.

1. Elisha Dana, born July, 1807; died June 24, 1808.
2. Lucy Dana, born June 18, 1809; died April 14, 1890; married, May 24, 1830, Rev. Joseph Marsh.
3. David Putnam Dana, born Feb. 25, 1811; died in Iowa at Keokuk.

CHILDREN OF DAVID AND REBECCA HART (CHASE) DANA.

4. Alice Hewitt Dana, born Feb. 27, 1815; died March 18, 1898; married May 10, 1836, Stephen Tracy, M.D.
5. Daniel Chase Dana, born Jan. 21, 1817; died Sept. 12, 1843; married March 4, 1840, Almira King.
6. Rebecca Hart Dana, born Jan. 17, 1819; married Aug. 10, 1844, Rev. Edward E. Atwater of New Haven, Conn., first pastor of the Davenport Church. Later, Mrs. Atwater and her husband became members of the Center or First Church of New Haven. Mr. Atwater died many years ago (1909) and Mrs. Atwater died in New Haven, Conn., March 9, 1909, aged 90. Their only child, Elihu Atwater, was born April, 1855; died in 1860.
7. Persis Chase Dana, born Sept. 22, 1820; died Oct. 24, 1895; married, June 15, 1842, Elisha Hewitt.
8. Benjamin Kimball Dana, born Jan. 25, 1823; died Jan. 25, 1823.
9. Isabella Graham Dana, born Sept. 12, 1826; married, Aug. 30, 1848, Oliver C. Woodward.

In 1895, Edward A. Bowen of Brooklyn, N. Y., sent me the following list, which I have slightly altered:

JOHN WINCHESTER. Born 1616, died 1694.	= HANNAH SEALIS. Born ——, died Sept. 18, 1697.
JOHN WINCHESTER. Born 1642-3, died 1718.	= JOANNA STEVENS. Born 1652.
CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER. Born 1675, died 1751.	= (1st) SARAH WHITE. Born 1680, died 1715-16.
ISAAC DANA. Baptized Oct. 10, 1697; died April 21, 1767. (Paige's Cambridge.)	= SARAH WINCHESTER. Born 1703-4 in Brookline.
CAPT. MATTHEW BOWEN. Born 1724, died 1806.	= MARY DANA. Born 1727, died 1813.
WILLIAM BOWEN. Born 1763, died 1837.	= MARY CHANDLER. Born 1760, died 1834.
GEORGE BOWEN.	= (1st) LUCY MARIA TAPPAN. Born 1825, died 1863.
	= (2d) ELLEN HOLT. Born 1834.
EDWARD AUGUSTUS BOWEN. Born 1847.	

See Lineage of the Bowens of Woodstock, Conn., by Edward Augustus Bowen, published 1897.

LINEAGE OF EZRA HITCHINGS WINCHESTER AND OF GEORGE R. PRESSON.

JOHN WINCHESTER. 1616-1694. Married 1638.	= HANNAH SEALIS.
JOHN WINCHESTER, JR. 1643-4–1717-18.	= JOANNA STEVENS.
CAPT. JOHN WINCHESTER. 1676-1751.	= (1st) SARAH WHITE
JOHN WINCHESTER, 4TH.* 1705-1739. Married Feb. 25, 1730.	= ELIZABETH GREEN.
WILLIAM WINCHESTER. 1733-1807.	= HANNAH PARKER BANCROFT.
JOHN WINCHESTER. 1769-1821. Married July 24, 1791.	= ELIZABETH HAMMOND.
CAROLINE MATILDA WINCHESTER. 1812-1877. Married Nov. 25, 1833.	= LEONARD J. PRESSON. 1812-1864.
GEORGE ROGERS PRESSON. Of San Francisco, Cal. Born Aug. 6, 1845. Died suddenly Oct. 22, 1901.	

* See "Winchester," by George R. Presson.

(*Gen. IV*) JOHN WINCHESTER[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3]) married ELIZABETH GREEN of Reading, Mass., Feb. 25, 1730. She was the daughter of William Green and Elizabeth Farmer of Billerica, Mass.; born about 1705; died about 1739. (Town Clerk of Brookline, from Town Records in 1896.)

He removed to Cambridge. His will was admitted to probate Jan. 7, 1739, and April 17, 1740, his widow Elizabeth was appointed guardian of the two children, William, in his eighth year, and Elizabeth, in her sixth year. The widow and children afterwards lived in Reading, Stoneham and Southboro.

Elizabeth Winchester married (2d) a Whiting, and the guardianship of her children was transferred to William Green, Jr., of Reading.

CHILDREN.

1. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born April 25, 1733; married Hannah Bancroft.
2. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born Aug. 29, 1734; married Ebenezer Rand, April 25, 1757.

(*Gen. V*) WILLIAM WINCHESTER[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3], *John*[4]), born April 25, 1733; died 1807. Lived in Reading, then removed to Southborough. He was a charter member or proprietor in Pomfret, Vt.

In the French and Indian War he enlisted from Reading in a company of foot, and afterwards in a troop of horse. In the War of the American Revolution he was in continuous service from the outbreak of hostilities until near the close of the war, April 19, 1775-May 17, 1780. (Massachusetts Archives.) He was a Lieutenant in Capt. Josiah Fay's company at the battle of Bunker Hill. (See Genealogical Register, 1873, p. 121.)

He married, about 1755, Hannah Parker Bancroft, widow of Jacob Bancroft of Reading, and daughter of Ebenezer Parker and Harriet Green. They had eight children. William Winchester died in Southborough, July 19, 1807.

(*Gen. VI*) JOHN WINCHESTER[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3], *John*[4], *William*[5]), youngest son of William and Hannah (Bancroft) Winchester, born July 6, 1769; married, July 24, 1791,

Elizabeth Hammond of Marblehead, Mass.; settled in Newburyport and afterwards in Gloucester, Mass. He was a Major in the state militia in 1812. He died in Montreal, Canada, April 30, 1821. His widow Elizabeth died in Gloucester, Dec. 5, 1834.

John Parker Winchester, born May 9, 1799, died 1883, was their fourth child.

LINEAGE OF EZRA HITCHINGS WINCHESTER.

John Winchester. 1616-1694.	= Hannah Sealis.
John Winchester, Jr. 1643-4–1717-18.	= Joanna Stevens.
Capt. John Winchester. 1676-1751.	= (1st) Sarah White.
John Winchester, 4th. 1705-1739.	= Elizabeth Green.
William Winchester. 1733-1807.	= Hannah Parker Bancroft.
John Winchester. 1769-1821.	= Elizabeth Hammond.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH (HAMMOND) WINCHESTER.

Richard Hammond Winchester, born Jan. 10, 1792.
William Dean Winchester, born July 19, 1794.
Betsey Winchester, born Dec. 1, 1796.
John Parker Winchester, born May 9, 1799; married Mary Hitchings, 1822.
Jacob Bancroft Winchester, born April 3, 1801.
Ignatius Sargent Winchester, born Sept. 5, 1803.
Perez Lincoln Winchester, born Nov. 20, 1805.
Susan Eliza Winchester, born Nov. 22, 1807.
Fitz Edward Winchester, born March 14, 1810.
Caroline Matilda Winchester, born Aug. 16, 1812; married Leonard J. Presson, Nov. 25, 1833.

(*Gen. VII*) John Parker Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3], *John*[4], *William*[5], *John*[6]), born May 9, 1799; died 1883; fourth child of John and Elizabeth (Hammond) Winchester; married in 1822, Mary Hitchings of Lynn, Mass. She died Nov. 12, 1882. He left Lynn for Fall River, Mass., and in 1839 went to Portsmouth, N. H., where he died. They had six children. Their eldest son,

(*Gen. VIII*) Ezra Hitchings Winchester, born at Fall River, Aug. 5, 1826-7; died at San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 16, 1904, aged 76, 4, 1. (From Vital Statistics at Concord, N. H.)

Ezra Hitchings Winchester left Fall River for California in 1849. In San Francisco, through his own exertions, he became a prosperous business man and with a partner he established there the firm of Main & Winchester.

He married, Nov. 19, 1860, Mary Abbie Josephine Odiorne of Portsmouth, N. H.

Mary Abbie Josephine Odiorne, daughter of Joseph Odiorne, born and educated in Portsmouth, N. H., married in San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 19, 1860, by Rev. Thomas Starr King, to Ezra H. Winchester, an enterprising merchant of that city. (From Odiorne Genealogy, by James Creighton Odiorne, M.A.)

CHILDREN OF EZRA HITCHINGS AND ABBIE (ODIORNE) WINCHESTER.

1. Abbie Main Winchester, born Sept. 13, 1861; married, Oct. 3, 1883, Wallace Hackett, born at Portsmouth, N. H., May 1, 1856, the son of William and Mary N. (Healey) Hackett. Wallace Hackett, a member of one of the best of the old Portsmouth families, was once Mayor of Portsmouth. His uncle, the Hon. Frank W. Hackett, is a lawyer, living in Washington, D. C., and he was recently Assistant Secretary of the Navy (1910). (New Hampshire Genealogy, Vol. 581; Winchester by Presson. See Genealogical Register, Vol. 33, p. 17.
2. Ezra Franklin Winchester, born July 26, 1868; died March 5, 1869, in San Francisco, Cal.
3. Frank Winchester, born at Portsmouth, N. H., May 28, 1873; married Sept. 29, 1898, at Portsmouth, N. H., Elizabeth Hiller, daughter of Joseph Hiller and Adelaide (Morgan) Foster, aged 26. They were married by Rev. Alfred Gording at Portsmouth, N. H., where she was born, but resided at San Francisco, Cal. (Vital Statistics at Concord, N. H.)

LINEAGE OF GEORGE ROGERS PRESSON.

(*Gen. VII*) Caroline Matilda Winchester, born Aug. 16, 1812; died April 14, 1877, at Gloucester, Mass.; youngest daughter of John and Elizabeth (Hammond) Winchester of Gloucester, Mass. Married, Nov. 25, 1833, Leonard J. Pres-

son, born Oct. 25, 1812, son of Capt. William and Sarah (Parran) Presson of Gloucester. He was a prominent citizen of Gloucester and filled many positions of trust and confidence. In 1834 he was Postmaster and for the last eighteen years of his life was connected with the United States Custom House, holding the position of Deputy Collector for many years. He died Jan. 7, 1864, at Gloucester, Mass. They had seven children. Their sixth child, a son,

(*Gen. VIII*) George Rogers Presson, of the firm of Main & Winchester of San Francisco, Cal., was born Aug. 6, 1845; married, Nov. 16, 1870, Mary E. Baker, born March 14, 1846. He was the author of the Winchester pamphlet, published in 1897, from which I have taken the above lineage. He died very suddenly Oct. 22, 1901, at San Francisco, Cal., leaving a widow, but no children.

JOANNA WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Joanna Winchester, daughter of Capt. John and Sarah (White) Winchester, born March 13, 1708-9. (Brookline Records, from Town Clerk B. F. Baker in 1897.) Married Samuel Sparhawk.

March 14, 1721, John White of Boston, estate administered by brothers Isaac and Joseph. John Winchester appointed guardian of his daughter Joanna, aged about thirteen, on her uncle John White's estate. (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 22, p. 440.)

Samuel Sparhawk, son of Samuel and Sarah (Whiting) Sparhawk, was born in Cambridge and baptized Oct. 2, 1698; died April 14, 1774; will dated Aug. 27, 1771. He was Selectman five years, 1737-41, and elected Deacon April 12, 1734.

The above Samuel Sparhawk was the son of Samuel Sparhawk and Sarah Whiting, daughter of Rev. Samuel Whiting; the grandson of Nathaniel Sparhawk and Patience Newman of Rehoboth (Patience Newman, the daughter of Rev. Samuel Newman of Rehoboth, married Nathaniel Sparhawk, Oct. 3, 1649); the great-grandson of Nathaniel Sparhawk and his

first wife Mary. Nathaniel Sparhawk was in Cambridge in 1636. His first wife, Mary, died Jan. 25, 1643-4.

Nathaniel Sparhawk appears to have owned in 1642 five houses and about five hundred acres of land, which quantity was afterwards increased. After his death about a thousand acres was sold from his estate, leaving still a large quantity of land on the south side of the river (now Brighton District). He died June 28, 1647, aged about 50. His second wife, Katherine, died July 5, 1647. (Paige's History of Cambridge.)

ISAAC WINCHESTER,

(*Gen. IV*) Isaac Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3]), son of Capt. John Winchester and his first wife, Sarah (White) Winchester, was born in Brookline, Mass., 1712-14; baptized Oct. 22, 1721; died Feb. 15, 1771, probably in Brookline, Mass.

John Winchester appointed guardian of Isaac Winchester, aet. ca. 9, on estate of Uncle John White, March 14, 1721. (Suffolk Probate, Vol. 22, p. 44.)

He married Mary Shed, born in Roxbury, Aug. 12, 1715, daughter of James Shed and his first wife, Mary Adams.

James Shed and Mary Adams were married in Roxbury, June 12, 1712. She died Jan. 21, 1716. James Shed belongs to the lineage of Daniel Shed of Braintree, 1650. (Crafts Family, by James M. Crafts and William F. Crafts.)

Isaac Winchester joined the church Aug. 16, 1741. He was a substantial citizen of Brookline, was styled "gentleman," and his wife's father, James Shed, was probably a wealthy man. Probably he never settled in Pomfret, Vt., although the grants began in 1761, ten years previous to his death; but he was a charter member in 1761.

In New Hampshire Records, charter members in 1761 were: Isaac, John Winchester Dana, John and William Winchester of Pomfret, now Newbury. Again: The grantees or proprietors of Pomfret, Vt., sometimes called New Pomfret, grant started 1761, settlers began 1771. Among the settlers was

Isaac Winchester. (New Hampshire State Papers, Vol. 36, being Town Charters, Vol. III, pp. 351-4.)

As Isaac Winchester died Feb. 15, 1771, aged 59, he was only a charter member, not a settler.

Deaths during the ministry of Joseph Jackson: 1775-6. Mrs. Mary Winchester, widow of Isaac. She was 60 years old. (Brookline Hist. Publication Society.)

The New Hampshire charter names in Pomfret (now in Vermont) are only of proprietors and of these only William Winchester of Southborough, Mass., was concerned. Isaac Winchester and John Winchester are mentioned as charter members, but they did not take lots. John Winchester Dana settled in Pomfret, Vt., about 1770 to 1772.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF ISAAC AND MARY (SHED) WINCHESTER.

Baptisms by James Allen, First Pastor (First Parish Records; Brookline Hist. Pub. Society):

1738, Jan. 20. Olive Winchester, daughter of Isaac and Mary; married, Dec. 1, 1761, to William Dawes by Rev. Joseph Jackson.

1741, Sept. 20. John Winchester, son of Isaac and Mary.

1743, Aug. 14. Isaac Winchester, son of Isaac and Mary. This Isaac went to Harvard College and graduated in 1764. (Harvard Graduates, by Sibley.)

1745, June 16. Danforth Winchester, son of Isaac and Mary.

1750, Jan. 21. Charles Winchester, son of Isaac, bapt. by Rev. Cotton Brown.

Charles Winchester signs a deed Aug. 27, 1771.

Sarah Dana of Pomfret, Ct., to Charles Winchester of Brookline, deeds her right in estate of her father John Winchester of Brookline, and her mother Alice Winchester, Aug. 27, 1771. (Suffolk Deeds, Vol. 120, p. 39.)

Charles Winchester of Brookline, rights in estate of grandfather John Winchester, I hold by quit claim of my aunt Sarah Dana of Pomfret, March 23, 1773. (Vol. 123, p. 158, Suffolk County Deeds.)

Births (Town Records):

1753, Nov. 7. Frances Winchester. } Parents
1755, Nov. 4. James Winchester. } Isaac and Mary.

NATHAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) NATHAN WINCHESTER[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Capt. John*[3]), son of Capt. John Winchester and his second wife, Sarah Phipps, the widow of Caleb Gardner, was born in Brookline, Mass., April 16, 1724. He died in Nova Scotia. He was married at Concord, Mass., Oct. 17, 1746, to BEULAH PARKS of Concord by R. D. Bliss. (Concord, Mass., Records.)

Beulah, daughter of Josiah and Sarah Parks, was born in Concord, Mass., Nov. 8, 1727.

July 12, 1747, Nathan Winchester of Brookline owned ye covenant. (First Church of Cambridge Records, p. 67.)

In 1747-8, and probably as late as 1756, Nathan Winchester was living in Brookline, close to the Cambridge line and owned land across the line; was a yeoman. He seems to have sold this home in 1756, April 24, to Thomas Griggs (Suffolk Deeds, Book 88, p. 168) and on May 19, 1756, mortgaged to his brother Isaac, other land nearby, and also his interest in the portion of his father's estate held for the benefit of his stepmother, Alice Winchester, and Isaac agreed to pay sundry debts of Nathan to various people, all named in the mortgage deed. (Suffolk Deeds, 91-256.)

Nathan Winchester evidently was not very successful and he probably determined to move. This was the period when the French neutrals (or Acadians as they are called in Longfellow's "Evangeline") were removed from Nova Scotia and their lands confiscated, so that many settlers from the New England colonies rushed in and settled on their lands. Calnek's History of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, shows a Nathan Winchester among the settlers.

In the Deeds of Middlesex County, Mass., in Book 67, p. 376, is recorded the partition of 507 acres of land in Framingham belonging to the heirs of Hon. John Danforth, in March, 1767, and among the heirs is "Nathan Winchester, husbandman, of —— in the Province of Nova Scotia."

Probably Nathan Winchester, with wife Beulah Parks and children, moved to Nova Scotia shortly after 1756, having sold out in Brookline, Mass.

CHILDREN OF NATHAN AND BEULAH (PARKS) WINCHESTER BORN PREVIOUS TO REMOVAL TO NOVA SCOTIA.

1. SARAH WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, June 15, 1747.
2. JOHN WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, Sept. 22, 1748; baptized Jan. 12, 1749, by Mr. Bowman. (Parish Records of Brookline.) The above John Winchester is probably the one mentioned in Calnek's list (History of Annapolis Co. by Wm. A. Calnek) as marrying, in 1781, Abigail Winslow, daughter of John Howard Winslow, and as Calnek as well as Sabine speak of a John Winchester who died at Annapolis in 1840, aged 98, I think this statement applies to the above John; only that in 1840 he would have been 92 years old and not 98. (See Sabine's Loyalists of the American Revolution, p. 438, Vol. 2.)

   Abigail Winslow was born Nov. 5, 1764, at Annapolis. She was the daughter of John Hayward Winslow (not Howard) and his wife Abigail Fenno. She married John Winchester in 1781.
3. NATHAN WINCHESTER, baptized July 8, 1750, by Rev. Cotton Brown. (Parish Records of Brookline, Mass.)
4. BEULAH WINCHESTER, baptized in Framingham, Mass., Sept. 26, 1756.

As Calnek, in his History of Annapolis County, gives a Mary, born 1756, it seems probable that the above Beulah, while baptized in 1756, might easily have been born a year or two earlier, as her next eldest brother was born in 1750.

William A. Calnek, in his History of the County of Annapolis, at p. 630, when giving the dates of birth of the children of Nathan Winchester, born in Nova Scotia, writes just above the list that "the order of births is not vouched for as correct," and it seems probable that the Brookline records were kept more correctly at that period than those of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, which at that time was in a troubled and unsettled state.

Calnek's History of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, at p. 630:

"Nathan Winchester was a grantee of lands near Rosette on the site of a previous French settlement, about three miles from the town, was married when he came and lived, with his family on his grant. One of his

sons settled in the township of Digby, one in Granville and Isaac and Spencer in Clements and Hillsburgh respectively. John remained on the homestead. John Winchester died at Annapolis 1840, aged 98. [He was 92, not 98, when he died] . . . The first Winchesters who came to New England, were John of Hingham who came in 1635, with Clement Bates, probably from Hertfordshire, and Alexander. . . ."

The following order of births is not vouched for as correct (children given by Calnek):

5. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, married Hannah Winslow, daughter of John Howard and Abigail (Fenno) Winslow; settled in Digby or Granville.

   The above name of John Howard Winslow is incorrect. It is John Hayward Winslow. (Winslow Memorial, 1877, Vol. I, p. 435.)

CHILDREN OF JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

i. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, married Isaac Marshall.
ii. GEORGE LEFEBE WINCHESTER, died unmarried.
iii. MARY WINCHESTER, born 1790; married Capt. Benjamin Thurber.
iv. JOSEPH WINCHESTER, married, 1819, Sarah Bryan.
v. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, married Margery Bacon.
vi. JOHN WINCHESTER, married Mary Smith.
vii. AMY WINCHESTER, married Gilbert Van Amburg.
viii. JAMES WINCHESTER, died unmarried.
ix. RACHEL WINCHESTER, married William Snow.
x. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, married Nancy Barnes.
xi. WINSLOW WINCHESTER, died unmarried.

6. MARY WINCHESTER, born 1756, married Benjamin Le Cain. This purely French name was spelled Le Quesne. Francis Barclay Le Quesne came to Annapolis from the Island of Jersey as Master Artificer or Armourer, in the employ of the Board of Ordnance. The family were of the gentry.

   The above Mary Winchester must have been born very late in the year 1756, as her sister Beulah was baptized in Framingham, Mass., Sept. 26, 1756; of course it is possible that the above date of birth is incorrect.

7. ISAAC WINCHESTER, born 1769, married, about 1801, Mary Morgan, born 1766, settled in Clements.

CHILDREN.

i. NANCY WINCHESTER, married (1) James Brown; (2) Jacob Roop.
ii. SARAH WINCHESTER, married, 1883, Edward Brean.

iii. Eliza Winchester, born 1804; died 1855; married Thomas Hannan.
iv. Margaret Winchester, died 1855; unmarried.
v. Charles Winchester, married (1) Maria Hopley; (2), 1862, Sarah Morehouse, née Quereau.
vi. John Winchester, married Mary Wade.
vii. Nathan Winchester, died unmarried.

8. John Winchester. (John Winchester, son of Nathan, occurs in both lists, and of course is the same man.) He married, in 1781, Abigail Winslow, daughter of James Hayward Winslow, and sister of Hannah Winslow.

John Winchester, born Sept. 22, 1748; died at Annapolis in 1840, aged 92 years, and not 98 as given in Calnek's History of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia.

CHILDREN.

i. John Winchester, born 1783; died 1869; unmarried.
ii. Beulah Winchester, born 1784; married John Langley.
iii. William Winchester, born 1789; died 1844; married Ann Witherspoon.
iv. James Winchester, born 1791; married (1) Ann Winchester, née Weatherspoon; (2) —— Pickels.
v. Maria Winchester, born 1793; married Artemus Odell.
vi. Abigail Winchester, born 1795; married James W. Pratt.
vii. Harriet Winchester, born 1797; died unmarried.

9. Spencer Winchester, married 1791, Frances Ann Emley and settled in Hillsburgh.

CHILDREN.

i. Elizabeth Heming Winchester, born 1791; married Thomas McCormick.
ii. Martha Winchester, born 1792; married, 1810, Charles Yerrigal.
iii. James Winchester, married, 1814, Elizabeth Bryan.
iv. Thomas Winchester, died unmarried.
v. Henry Winchester, died ——.
vi. Frances Winchester, married Jacob Odell.
vii. Catharine Winchester, married Thomas Cambden.
viii. Rebecca Winchester, died unmarried.
ix. Emley Winchester, married Amanda Benson.
x. Edward Winchester, died unmarried.
xi. William Winchester, married Eliza ——.

10. William Winchester, married, 1790, Mary Demint, a widow, and settled in Granville.

CHILDREN.

i. CHRISTOPHER E. B. WINCHESTER, born 1791; married.
ii. WILLIAM S. WINCHESTER, born 1794; married Lydia Steele.
iii. ISAAC PARKER WINCHESTER, born 1796; married, 1830, Lydia Steele.
iv. SEAMAN WINCHESTER, married Mary Ann Morrison.
v. MARY WINCHESTER.

Not being able to reconcile the dates given in Brookline, Mass., Records and those given by Calnek in his History of Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, I have followed the former as probably most correct.

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CHAPTER II

SOME DESCENDANTS OF HENRY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF HENRY AND FRANCES (WHITE) WINCHESTER, BORN IN BROOKLINE, MASS.

1. MARY WINCHESTER, born Aug. 19, 1707; died Oct. 7, 1736; married John Harris, Jan., 1733.
2. JOSEPH WINCHESTER, born April 12, 1709-10; died in Brookline, Mass., Feb. 28, 1781.
3. ABIGAIL WINCHESTER, born Dec. 17, 1712; married Peter Stone, Dec. 5, 1749. (Roxbury Records.)
4. MEHETABEL WINCHESTER, born March 25, 1715.
5. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, born April 21, 1717; died Nov. 26, 1767; married Sarah Croft (or Crafts), May 5, 1748. (See lineage of Rev. Jonathan Winchester.)
6. HENRY WINCHESTER, born April 27, 1720; married at Roxbury, Mass., March 3, 1748, to Dorothy Brewer by Rev. Mr. Walter.
7. MOSES WINCHESTER, born July 5, 1723-4; died Aug. 21, 1725. (B. F. Baker, Town Clerk of Brookline, Mass.)

MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) MARY WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, Mass., Aug. 19, 1707; died Oct. 7, 1736; married JOHN HARRIS, Jan. 4, 1733. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 62, p. 238.)

John Harris and wife Mary of Brookline give a deed to Robert Harris, Daniel Harris, Abigail, widow of Timothy Harris, March 10, 1734-5.

John, son of Timothy and Abigail (Morey) Harris, born March 23, 1709; married (1) Jan. 4, 1733, Mary, daughter of Henry and Frances Winchester of Brookline, who was born Aug. 19, 1707, died Oct. 7, 1736. He married (2) April 16, 1747, Esther, daughter of Thomas and Lydia Metcalf of Needham; he died in Brookline, Feb. 3, 1796.

CHILDREN OF JOHN AND MARY (WINCHESTER) HARRIS.

1. ABIGAIL HARRIS, born Aug. 20, 1734; married Isaiah Whiting of Roxbury.
2. MARY HARRIS, born Sept. 29, 1736; died March 20, 1747.

(Robert Harris and His Descendants, by L. M. Harris, M.D., p. 11.)

JOSEPH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) JOSEPH WINCHESTER[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2] *Henry*[3]), of Brookline. Farmer and tanner; son of Henry and Frances (White) Winchester; born in Brookline, April 12, 1709-10; died there Feb. 28, 1781, aged 72; married (1st) in Roxbury, Nov. 27, 1740, by Rev. Mr. Walker to MARGARET BREWER (Roxbury City Books, p. 145), born April 18, 1719, daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Mayo) Brewer. Elizabeth Mayo, daughter of Joseph Mayo, married Nathaniel Brewer, April 10, 1717. (Brewer Family of Roxbury; Roxbury Records.)

Joseph Winchester married (2d), in Braintree, Mass., March 8, 1753, MARY RAWSON, born May 20, 1718, daughter of David and Mary (Gulliver) Rawson of that part of Braintree now Quincy, near the Milton town line. The marriage is given in Gen. Register, Vol. 60, p. 42.

List of marriages at Braintree by Rev. Samuel Niles, and not entered on Town Records:

Joseph Winchester
Mary Rawson } March 8, 1753.

He married (3d) in Roxbury, March 1, 1758 (Roxbury Records), PRISCILLA GORE, born Nov. 26, 1717, at Roxbury, Mass., daughter of Ebenezer and Susanna (Paul) Gore of Roxbury. (Genealogy of Payne and Gore Families, by William H. Whitimore.)

Joseph Winchester of Brookline, yeoman, and wife Priscilla, sell land in Brookline on June 4, 1760. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 94, p. 244.)

Brookline Church Records give: "Joseph Winchester's wife died Dec. 14, 1776, aged 63 of small-pox natural."

Does the above refer to Priscilla Gore, Joseph Winchester's third wife, and is some date wrong, or did he marry a fourth wife?

Joseph Winchester appointed Nov. 12, 1756, guardian to his daughter Mehetabel, then a minor under 14 years of age, in order that she should receive property from her grandmother, Mary Rawson deceased, widow, late of Braintree. (Suffolk County Probate, File 11369; see also Genealogical Register, Vol. III, p. 302, an article on the Descendants of Secretary Edward Rawson.)

From the above we find that Joseph Winchester's second wife, Mary Rawson, had died previous to Nov. 12, 1756, leaving only one child Mehetable, and the other child, mentioned in Rawson Family, Register, Vol. III, must have been the eldest and have died young.

Mary Rawson's father, David Rawson, was born 1683, married Mary, daughter of Capt. John Gulliver of Milton, and lived on his father's farm in Quincy, near the Neponset Bridge. He died in 1752, leaving valuable estate. His fourth child was Mary, born May 20, 1718. She married a Winchester [it was Joseph Winchester] and had two children. (N. E. Gen. Register, Vol. III, p. 302.)

Joseph Winchester, with John Goddard, were made guardians of the following children by the nuncupative will of Widow Elizabeth Brewer in 1763: Nathaniel Winchester, a minor over 14 years old; Mary Winchester, a minor over 14 years old; Ann Winchester, a minor over 14 years old; Margaret Winchester, a minor under 14 years old; grandchildren of Widow Elizabeth Brewer and children of Joseph Winchester.

The will reads thus:

Widow Elizabeth Brewer made a nuncupative will in 1763—mentions sons Nathaniel, Stephen, John; daughters Mary, Rebecca. Sarah Goddard, a granddaughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer; Nathaniel Weld, a grandson of Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer; Nathaniel Winchester, a minor over 14, a grandson; Mary Winchester, a minor over 14, a grandaughter; Ann Winchester, a minor over 14, a granddaughter; Margaret Winchester, under 14, a granddaughter. And Joseph Winchester with John Goddard were their guardians.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer died March 24, 1763, and besides the six children she named in her will, the Probate proceedings said there were nine children in all.

Joseph Winchester died Feb. 28, 1781, aged 72. (Brookline First Church Records.) The will of Joseph Winchester, drawn at Brookline, Mass., May 25, 1778, probated March 23, 1781, mentions son Nathaniel to whom he gives whole estate; the heirs of his deceased daughter, Nancy Seaver, and his grandson, Henry Cunningham, under 21 years. (Boston Suffolk County Deeds and Wills.)

Deeds show that Joseph Winchester had received land that bordered on Jamaica Pond, from his father Henry Winchester. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 79, p. 14.) That deeds passed between Henry Winchester of Brookline and Joseph Winchester of Roxbury, April 5, 1749. Also that Joseph Winchester of Brookline sold land to Peter Stone, July 17, 1750. (Suffolk County Deeds, Vol. 108, p. 244.)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MARGARET (BREWER) WINCHESTER

1. MARY WINCHESTER, born Oct. 13; baptized in Brookline, Oct. 18, 1741, by Rev. Collin Brown; died Dec. 7, 1769, of consumption, aged 28. (First Church Records of Brookline.)
2. ANN WINCHESTER, baptized in Brookline, Jan. 12, 1746; married in Brookline, March 29, 1764, to Abijah Seaver of Roxbury, by Rev. Joseph Jackson. (First Parish Records of Brookline; also see Seaver Family, Vol. 26 of N. E. Register, p. 314).

   Ann died before her father, Joseph Winchester.

   Abijah Seaver, born in Roxbury, 1737; married at Brookline, March 29, 1764, Ann Winchester of Brookline.

   CHILDREN.

   i. WILLIAM SEAVER, born 1765.
   ii. BENJAMIN SEAVER, born 1766.
   iii. JOSEPH SEAVER, baptized 1771.
   iv. NATHANIEL SEAVER, baptized 1773.
   v. POLLY SEAVER, married Levi Pratt.

3. NATHANIEL WINCHESTER, born Oct. 5, 1748; died Dec. 27, 1808, aged 60. He succeeded his father in ownership of land in Jamaica Plain, near Pond.

4. MARGARET WINCHESTER, under 14 years on April 15, 1763, so born after April 15, 1749; married William Cunningham.

William Cunningham, Margaret Winchester, married Dec. 7, 1737, at Christ Church. (Boston Records, Commissioners Report 30, p. 38.)

Baptized March 13, 1774, Henry Cunningham, son of William. (Records First Parish Church, Brookline.)

Joseph Winchester's will, dated May 5, 1778, mentions grandson Henry Cunningham.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND MARY (RAWSON) WINCHESTER.

5. MEHETABEL WINCHESTER, baptized Aug. 29, 1756, by Rev. Nathaniel Potter; died Aug. 11, 1764, aged 8 years. (Record First Church of Brookline.)

BREWER FAMILY OF ROXBURY.

Nathaniel Brewer married (1), March 17, 1691-2, Margaret Weld. (Her death not recorded.) He married (2), Dec. 26, 1705, Elizabeth Sunderland. (Her death not recorded.) (The above marriages from City Registrar at Boston and from other sources.)

Children of Nathaniel and Margaret (Weld) Brewer: Margaret, born April 2, 1692, died May 4; Nathaniel, born Sept. 17, 1694; Dorothy, born June 19, 1697; probably married John Williams, born Jan. 16, 1683-4. (N. E. Genealogical Register, Vol. 34, p. 70.)

John William, born Jan. 16, 1683-4; married Dorothy Brewer and had: Nathaniel, born 1717; John, born 1719; Dorothy, born 1721; Margaret, born 1723. (Genealogy of Family of Thomas Williams of Roxbury.)

Nathaniel Brewer, born 1694, son of Nathaniel and Margaret (Weld) Brewer, married, April 10, 1717, Elizabeth Mayo, daughter of Joseph Mayo.

CHILDREN.

1. MARGARET BREWER, born April 18, 1719; married in 1740 to Joseph Winchester.
2. ELIZABETH BREWER, born Feb. 9, 1720; married Samuel Weld.
3. JOSEPH BREWER, born Feb. 14, 1722-3.

4. Dorothy Brewer, born Dec. 18, 1724; married Henry Winchester, Jr., March 3, 1748.
5. Nathaniel Brewer, born Oct. 24, 1726.
6. Stephen Brewer, born July 31, 1728.

And probably

7. Sarah Brewer, born 1730; married John Goddard in 1753; died in 1755.
8. John Brewer, born 1736.
9. Mary Brewer, born 1738.
10. Rebecca Brewer, born 1743.

The mother, Elizabeth Brewer, died March 24, 1763. Her nuncupative will, made Feb. 8, 1763, mentions six children by name: Joseph, Nathaniel, Stephen, John, Mary and Rebecca, the last two unmarried, and the Probate proceedings said there were nine children in all. Sarah Goddard was a granddaughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer; Nathaniel Weld, a grandson; Nathaniel Winchester, a minor over 14 years, a grandson; Mary Winchester, a minor over 14 years, a granddaughter; Ann Winchester, a minor over 14 years, a granddaughter; Margaret Winchester, under 14 years, a granddaughter. Joseph Winchester with John Goddard, were appointed their guardians.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF HENRY AND FRANCES (WHITE) WINCHESTER (*continued*).

Abigail Winchester, born Dec. 17, 1712; married Peter Stone, Dec. 5, 1749. (Roxbury Records.)

Mehetabel Winchester, born March 25, 1715.

Jonathan Winchester, born April 21, 1717; died Nov. 26, 1767; married Sarah Croft (or Crafts). (See Lineage of Rev. Jonathan Winchester; also History of Ashburnham, Mass.)

Henry Winchester, baptized May 1, 1720; married at Roxbury, Mass., March 3, 1748, to Dorothy Brewer, by Rev. Mr. Walter.

Dorothy Brewer, born Dec. 18, 1724, was the daughter of Nathaniel Brewer by his wife Elizabeth Mayo, daughter of Joseph Mayo. Nathaniel Brewer and Elizabeth Mayo were married April 10, 1717. Mrs. Elizabeth Brewer died March 24, 1763.

CHILDREN.

1. Margaret Brewer, born April 18, 1719; married Joseph Winchester, 1740.
2. Elizabeth Brewer, born Feb. 9, 1720; married Samuel Weld.
3. Joseph Brewer, born Feb. 14, 1722-3.
4. Dorothy Brewer, born Dec. 18, 1724; married Henry Winchester, 1748.
5. Nathaniel Brewer, born Oct. 24, 1726.
6. Stephen Brewer, born July 31, 1728.

And probably also

7. Sarah Brewer, born 1730; married John Goddard.
8. John Brewer, born 1736.
9. Mary Brewer, born 1738.
10. Rebecca Brewer, born 1743.

(Brewer Family of Roxbury, mostly from Roxbury Records.)

Moses Winchester, born July 5, 1723-4; died Aug. 21, 1725. (B. F. Baker, Town Clerk of Brookline.)

(Facts mostly from Roxbury Records, sent to me by Henry W. Cunningham, 1910.)

WHITE LINEAGE.

Henry Winchester married Frances White, June 28, 1705. (N. E. Gen. Register, 1868, p. 421; John White of Watertown and His Descendants, by Hon. Thomas J. Lothrop of Brookline.)

John White was living in Watertown when the first inventory of estates was taken, as early as 1639. He then owned "an Homestead of seven acres." He remained in Watertown until 1650, when he moved to Muddy River, now Brookline, and bought from Thomas Oliver of Boston 50 acres upland, 18 acres of marsh and six acres of fresh marsh in Muddy River. The deed conveying the property is dated 1650. He afterwards bought other tracts of land in Brookline and became a large proprietor. His will, dated April 13, 1691, names wife Frances and three sons. He died April 15, 1691; married Frances ——, who died 1696. Their children: 1. John, born 1642; 2. Joseph; 3. Benjamin; 4. Mary, born 1652; died May 26, 1669.

John White[2] (*John*[1]) lived in Brookline, was called "Lieut. John"; died March 28, 1695; married Elizabeth, daughter of Elder John Bowles. She died Jan. 7, 1699-1700. Children: 1. Elizabeth, born March 22, 1667; married Edmund Weld of Roxbury.

John White[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]), born July 18, 1669; graduated Harvard College 1685. He entered upon the work of the ministry, was chaplain to Sir William Phipps, when Governor. After death of Sir William, John White was elected three years successively Representative at Boston and was Clerk of the House of Representatives twenty successive years. Nov. 15, 1697, he was chosen Fellow of Harvard College, and Oct. 27, 1713, Treasurer of the College. He assumed the duties of Treasurer in July, 1715, and held the office until his death. He was one of the twenty-two proprietors of Leicester, Mass., and one of the trustees of the Province Loan. He died Dec. 11, 1721, unmarried.

His sister, Sarah White, born Dec. 5, 1680, married Capt. John Winchester.

His sister, Abigail White, born 1676; died Feb. 15, 1753; married William Sharp.

Joseph White[2] (*John*[1]) lived in Brookline and died Sept. 10, 1725.

His daughter, Frances White, born March 28, 1680, married, June 28, 1705, Henry Winchester.

Some descendants of Henry Winchester, son of John and Joanna (Stevens) Winchester, through the Rev. Jonathan Winchester of Ashburnham, Mass., and through the fifth child of the latter, Samuel Winchester.

The Crafts Lineage.

Lineage of Prof. Caleb Thomas Winchester of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn.

Rev. Jonathan Winchester (*Gen. IV*)

Samuel Winchester (*Gen. V*)

Rev. George Winchester (*Gen. VI*)

Rev. George Hubbard Winchester (*Gen. VII*)

Prof. Caleb T. Winchester (*Gen. VIII*)
Julian Caleb Winchester (*Gen. IX*).

Lineage of Rev. George Hubbard Winchester.
Rev. Jonathan Winchester (*Gen. IV*)
Samuel Winchester (*Gen. V*).
Rev. George Winchester (*Gen. VI*)
Rev. George Hubbard Winchester (*Gen. VII*)
Nathaniel Wales Winchester (*Gen. VII*)
Elizabeth Curtis Winchester (*Gen. VII*)

Lineage of Lieut. Gov. Oliver Fisher Winchester, President of Winchester Arms Co.
Rev. Jonathan Winchester (*Gen. IV*)
Samuel Winchester (*Gen. V*)
Lieut. Gov. Oliver Fisher Winchester (*Gen. VI*)
Hannah Jane (Winchester) Bennett (*Gen. VII*).
Her Children.
Hope Bennett (*Gen. VIII*)
Winchester Bennett (*Gen. VIII*)
Eugene Bristol Bennett (*Gen. VIII*).

Prof. Caleb T. Winchester and Nathaniel Wales Winchester are descendants of second wife of Samuel Winchester.

Lieut. Gov. Oliver Fisher Winchester descends from third wife of Samuel Winchester.

REV. JONATHAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Rev. Jonathan Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3]), son of Henry and Frances (White) Winchester, was born in Brookline, Mass., April 21, 1717. He graduated at Harvard College in 1737, and for several years was a school teacher in Brookline. He married there, May 5, 1748, Sarah Croft (or Crafts), an educated and talented lady, the daughter of Samuel Croft, who, in his will, mentions daughter Sarah Winchester of Ashburnham and her children; the will dated Feb. 2, 1770. (The Crafts Family, pp. 81, 82; also Roxbury City Books, Records.)

They lived in Brookline for about ten years, where six of their children were born, the other four being born in Ashburnham, Mass. In Nov., 1759, he accepted a call to become the minister of the church at Ashburnham and was ordained April 23, 1760, being the first pastor of the Society. He immediately secured the love and respect of his people by whom he was regarded as a most worthy and upright man, a judicious counselor and a man of singular purity of character. He was an earnest and effective preacher, a man of steadfast purposes, of generous and friendly impulses, restrained by a firm adherence to the commands of duty.

The death of Mr. Winchester, which occurred Nov. 26, 1767, in his 51st year, was a serious loss to the young parish. At once they were bereft of a faithful pastor and a sincere and valued friend. That the people realized their loss and gave expression to the deepest sorrow, is shown by the records and confirmed by many traditions.

A tablet over Mr. Winchester's grave was erected by his parishioners, and on it is the following inscription:

> THE GENTLEMAN, THE SCHOLAR AND THE CHRISTIAN WERE IN HIM CONSPICUOUS. AS A PREACHER HE WAS ACCEPTABLE, AS A HUSBAND TENDER, AS A PARENT AFFECTIONATE, AS A NEIGHBOR KIND, AS A FRIEND SINCERE. FOR CANDOR, MEEKNESS, PATIENCE AND MODESTY REMARKABLE.
>
> INTEGER VITAE, SCELERISQUE PURUS.
>
> (HONEST OF LIFE AND PURE OF CRIME)

His widow continued to reside in Ashburnham with her children. She was born in Brookline, Mass., in 1725, and died in Ashburnham.

Madam Sarah, widow of Rev. Jonathan, died July 27, 1797, in her 70th year. (Ashburnham Vital Records.)

By the will of her father, dated Feb. 2, 1770, she received all his property in Ashburnham, inventoried at £266. 13 s. 4 d.

Sarah Croft was the daughter of Capt. Samuel Croft and his first wife, Mehitable Aspinwall of Brookline, Mass.; the granddaughter of Samuel Craft and his wife, Elizabeth Sharp

of Brookline, Mass.; the great-granddaughter of Lieut. Samuel Craft and his wife, Elizabeth Seaver of Roxbury, Mass.; the great-great-granddaughter of Lieut. Griffin Craft, or Lieut. Griffith Crofts, and his wife Alice, who came from England with Winthrop's party of colonists. (See Crafts Family, by James M. Crafts and William F. Crafts, and Stearns, History of Ashburnham, Mass.)

Lieut. Griffin Craft, who settled in Roxbury, Mass., in 1630, sailed from England with Winthrop's party of colonists; many of them came from Boston in Lincolnshire, England. Griffin Craft came with wife Alice and daughter Hannah. There are reasons for believing he was a native of Yorkshire, England, probably born about 1600. Lieut. Griffin Craft was made freeman May 18, 1631. From the work entitled "The Records of the Governor and Company of the Massachusetts Bay in New England," we find that Griffin Croft was a Deputy to the General Court, holden at Boston, March 13, 1638. He was again a Deputy to the Courts of Election, holden May 27, 1663, and May 18, 1664, at which John Endicott was chosen Governor, and to the Courts of Election holden May 3, 1665, May 23, 1666, and May 15, 1667, at which Richard Bellingham, Esq., was chosen Governor. He was also Deputy at the special meetings of the General Courts called Aug. 31, 1664, and Sept. 11, 1666. (The Crafts Family, by James M. Crafts and William F. Crafts, pp. 18-24.)

From the same work we learn that he was one of the jury of twelve men at the trial of Hugh Buets, Dec. 1, 1640. (Page 19.)

From Extracts of Especial Interest: "Sept 10, 1653, at the request of the Military Company of the town of Roxbury, this Court doth confirm Ensign Johnson to be their Captayne, Sergeante Craft for their Lieut. and Sergeante Boles for their Ensign."

Feb. 21, 1675-6, Lieut. Griffin Craft's of Roxbury request to lay downe his commission is granted and Sergeante Samuel Ruggles is appointed to be Lieut. to the Company in Roxbury in his place. Thus we see that for twenty-one years he held

the position of Lieutenant, at that time a position of much trust and no little responsibility.

Jan. 11, 1650, Griffin Craft was chosen Selectman, or as the town records express it, he was chosen with four others, "to order Towne Affairs." These selectmen were five in number and are generally mentioned in the records as "Fivemen." With the exception of 1665 and 1667, Lieut. Craft served as Selectman until 1673. In addition to the Fivemen were the Commissioners, three in number and chosen annually. (Colonial Records, May 19, 1658, Vol. V, p. 322.) Griffin Craft was chosen annually for this position from 1659 to 1670 inclusive. (The Crafts Family, pp. 21-23.)

From the first settlement of the town, Griffin Craft was identified with the church, and throughout the 250 years that have intervened, some of his descendants have been connected with the First Religious Society of Roxbury. The first pastor was the Rev. John Eliot. "A recorde of such as adjoyned themselves unto the fellowship of this Church of Christ at Roxborough," are the entries of Griffith Crofts and of Alice Crofts, the wife of Griffith Crofts. Alice Craft died in Roxbury, March 25, 1673.

Lieut. Griffin Craft took a second wife, being married July 15, 1673, to Ursula, widow of William Robinson of Dorchester, who had been the widow of Samuel Hosier, as of Stephen Streeter, at an earlier day. She was a daughter of Henry Adams of Braintree, Mass., and Griffin Craft was her fourth husband. He buried her and married a third wife, Dorcas, daughter of John and Barbara Ruggles of Roxbury, formerly of Sudbury, Suffolk, England. She died Dec. 30, 1697. Lieut. Griffin Craft died Oct. 4, 1689. He was blind for several years before his death. (Crafts Family, p. 24.)

CHILDREN OF LIEUT. GRIFFIN AND ALICE CRAFT.

1. Hannah Craft, born in England.
2. John Craft, born in Roxbury, Mass., July 10, 1630.
3. Mary Craft, born in Roxbury, Mass., Oct. 10, 1632.
4. Abigail Craft, born in Roxbury, Mass., March 28, 1634.
5. Samuel Craft, born in Roxbury, Mass., Dec. 12, 1637.
6. Moses Craft, born in Roxbury, Mass., April 28, 1641.

Samuel Craft was made sole executor and was the principal beneficiary in his father's will, but he, dying about a year after his father, administration was granted to Samuel's widow Elizabeth and to his son Samuel in April, 1691.

Samuel Craft, son of Lieut. Griffin Craft, born Dec. 12, 1637, married in Roxbury, Oct. 16, 1661, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert and Elizabeth (Ballard) Seaver of Roxbury. She was born Nov. 19, 1643. He was freeman, May 31, 1671. He took a prominent part in town affairs, was Selectman, Tithingman and Constable, and chosen Commissioner in 1689. Like his father, he was Lieutenant in the military company of Roxbury. He died intestate in 1691. (Crafts Family, p. 36.)

Elizabeth, widow of Lieut. Samuel Craft, died in Roxbury, Dec. 9, 1731, aged 88, and was buried in the old Roxbury burial ground. The following inscription was on her tombstone:

Here Lyes Ye body
of Mrs. Elizabeth Craft
widow of Lieutenant
Samuel Craft. She
died Decemr ye 9th
1731 in ye 88th
year of her age.

Lieut. and Elizabeth Craft had eleven children, born in Roxbury, among them Samuel, born June 16; baptized June 23, 1667.

Samuel Craft[3] (*Lieut. Griffin*[1], *Samuel*[2]) married in Roxbury, Dec. 25, 1693, Elizabeth, daughter of Lieut. John Sharp of Brookline, Mass. The Roxbury Church Records show she was baptized "6th month, 20th day, 1671." He took a somewhat prominent part in the affairs of his native town, and was Surveyor of Highways in 1695; was Constable in 1707, 1708 and 1709, holding this office at the time of his death, Dec. 9, 1709, at the age of 42 years. His widow married, May 8, 1718, James Shed of Roxbury.

Samuel and Elizabeth (Sharp) Craft had six children, among them:

Samuel Craft, born in Roxbury, June 4, 1701. He married in Brookline, Mass., Feb., 1725, Mehitable Aspinwall, daughter

of Samuel and Sarah (Stevens) Aspinwall of Brookline. Samuel Croft returned to the original spelling of the name, adopting the letter "o" in place of the letter "a." He and his wife Mehitable "solemnly owned the covenant at the church in Roxbury, Jan. 17, 1726." She died in 1746, having been born in Brookline, Mass., June 12, 1704.

Samuel Croft married (2d), in 1749-50, Mary Sharp, daughter of Robert and Susannah Sharp of Brookline. She was born in Brookline, Aug. 23, 1726, and died there Oct. 30, 1772.

Samuel Croft was a prominent citizen in Brookline, active in town affairs, had a large estate and was widely known as Capt. Samuel Croft. He owned a large farm of seventy-six acres near the center of the town on the road to Brighton.

He was a housewright by trade, and in the year 1765 erected a large house on Washington Street, near Cypress Street. He also owned property in Ashburnham, Mass. He died in Brookline, Nov. 14, 1771, aged 70.

In his will of Feb. 2, 1770, he appointed his wife Mary and son Samuel executors. He left his extensive estate in Brookline to his son Samuel and all his property in Ashburnham to his daughter Sarah Winchester of Ashburnham and her children. For his wife Mary he made ample provision, bequeathing to her the use of one-half of his house and garden, and a horse and chaise, and specifying a liberal allowance of provisions, firewood, etc., to be furnished her by her son. His will also mentioned his daughter Mehitable, to whom he left £256. 13 s. 4 d., and other legacies. By his first wife he had five children, and three by his second. (The Crafts Family, p. 82.)

CHILDREN.

1. Samuel Croft, born in Brookline, Mass., about 1726; died young.
2. Sarah Croft, born in Brookline, Mass., 1728; married in Brookline, May 5, 1748, Rev. Jonathan Winchester, son of Henry and Frances (White) Winchester.
3. Elizabeth Croft, born in Brookline, 1730.
4. Hannah Croft, born in Brookline, 1732.
5. Mehitable Croft, born in Brookline, 1734.
6. Samuel Croft, born in Brookline, 1751.
7. Robert Croft, baptized in Roxbury, Feb. 7, 1754; died young.
8. Robert Croft, born in Brookline, Sept., 1756; died April 25, 1768.

ASPINWALL LINEAGE.

Capt. Samuel Croft married (1st) in Brookline, Mass., Feb., 1725, Mehitable Aspinwall, born in Brookline, June 12, 1704, the daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Stevens) Aspinwall. Sarah Croft, who married the Rev. Jonathan Winchester in 1748, was their eldest daughter.

Peter Aspinwall came from Toxteth Park, now a part of Liverpool, England, to New England about 1630. It is not known who were his parents. About this time (1630) there was living at Toxteth Park an Edward Aspinwall, who may have been the father of Peter Aspinwall. For several years after coming to New England Peter Aspinwall lived in Dorchester, and while there, in May, 1645, he was made a freeman, and probably while living there was married to Alice Sharp. An entry in the Parish Register of the First Church of Boston speaks of Alice Sharp, "now y^{e} wife of Peter Aspinwall of Dorchester," in 1645.

Dr. William Aspinwall wrote Sept. 16, 1767, in a sketch of Peter Aspinwall: "He married —— Morrill and lived with her 16 years without children, when she died, and then he married Remember Palfrey."

"Peter Aspinwall of Muddy River & Remember Palfrey of Redding were married 12th February, 1661, by John Endecott, Governor." She was the daughter of Peter and Edith Palfrey of Salem. She was baptized Sept. 16, 1638. Peter Aspinwall held several town offices, among them, Surveyor, 1651-2 and 1661-2, and Constable, 1667. His will is dated Nov. 29, 1687, and was filed Jan. 20, 1691-2, when his widow and son Samuel presented his will for probate. (N. E. Register, Vol. 47, pp. 342, 343.)

Samuel Aspinwall, eldest son of Peter and Remember (Palfrey) Aspinwall, was born in Muddy River (now Brookline), Mass., Nov. 10, 1662. Was a farmer and a leading man in town affairs—Surveyor in 1690-1; Constable, Assessor, Fence-Viewer, Tythingman and Selectman for at least thirteen years

between 1699 and 1718. He was a Lieutenant of militia in the expedition against Port Royal in 1690 and present when Sir William Phips took the fort. He was afterwards Captain of the Brookline company of militia. Capt. Aspinwall "married Sarah Stevens, sister to old Capt. Stevens, father to the late Dr. Warren's mother." They were married about 1689, and she was the daughter of Capt. Timothy and Sarah (Davis) Stevens of Roxbury, Mass. She was born March 6, 1667; died April 1, 1710. Samuel Aspinwall was drowned Sept. 6, 1727. Among his children: Mehitable, born June 12, 1704; married, Feb., 1725, by Rev. J. Allin, Samuel Craft of Roxbury. She had five children and died in the 42d year of her age.

(From The Aspinwall Family of Muddy River, now Brookline, Mass., by Edward Augustus Bowen, Esq., of Woodstock, Conn. N. E. Register, Vol. 47, pp. 342, 343, 344.)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF REV. JONATHAN AND SARAH (CROFT) WINCHESTER.

1. SAMUEL WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, May 5, 1749; baptized (in private) May 7, 1749, under Cotton Brown; died July 18, 1750.
2. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, June 20, 1751; married Oct. 26, 1769, Deacon Jacob Harris.
3. HENRY WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, May 25, 1753; removed to Malone, N. Y. He was a soldier in Captain Gates' Company and remained at the siege of Boston in Captain Wilder's Company until the close of the year. He married in Lancaster, April 30, 1780, Lois Phelps. They had eight children.
4. JONATHAN WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, July 31, 1755; was in Captain Gates' Company, 1775, and served an enlistment in Rhode Island, 1779. He married, Feb. 13, 1783, Persis Whitmore, daughter of Joseph Whitmore. He was a farmer and one of the builders of the Lord's Barn. He was a man of unblemished character, modest and unassuming. His life was a sermon of peace and good-will to his fellow-men. He died Jan. 16, 1837, and his widow died July 17, 1837. They had eight children.
5. SAMUEL WINCHESTER, baptized in Brookline, Jan. 16, 1757. (First Parish Records. Historical Society, No. 8, p. 78.) He died in Boston, April 3, 1811. He married (1), July 11, 1782, Martha Reed, born Oct. 15, 1759; died Sept. 11, 1791; he married (2), 1792, Theodora Wales, born 1767, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah Wales of Randolph. She died Oct. 6, 1795. He married (3), Dec. 10, 1801, Hannah Bates of Abington. After his

death in 1811, his widow married a Richardson and died in Philadelphia. Samuel Winchester had eleven children. (Stearns, History of Ashburnham, Mass.)

6. Sarah Winchester, born in Brookline, Dec. 29, 1758. (Records of Brookline, by B. F. Baker, Town Clerk in 1897.) Married, Feb. 23, 1785, Thaddeus Brooks of Ashburnham.
7. Mehitable Winchester, born in Ashburnham, Mass., Aug. 13, 1762; died there unmarried, March 22, 1815.
8. William Winchester, born in Ashburnham, Sept. 13, 1764. Served from Ashburnham, under Capt. Thomas Fiske, in Colonel Tyler's or Colonel Jackson's regiment, July, 1779, for six months (History of Ashburnham, p. 163) in a successful attempt to dislodge the enemy from Rhode Island.
9. Mary Winchester, born in Ashburnham, Sept. 2, 1766; married there, April 26, 1796, Lemuel Jenkins, Jr., of Townsend, Mass.
10. Ichabod Winchester, born in Ashburnham, July 30, 1768 (posthumous.) (Stearns, History of Ashburnham, Mass.)

LINEAGE OF REV. JONATHAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. I*) John Winchester, Sr., married Hannah Sealis, 1638.

(*Gen. II*) John Winchester, Jr., married Joanna Stevens.

(*Gen. III*) Henry Winchester married Frances White, June 28, 1705. Their son,

(*Gen. IV*) Rev. Jonathan Winchester, married Sarah Croft, May 5, 1748. Samuel Winchester was their fifth child.

(*Gen. V*) Samuel Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4]), son of Rev. Jonathan and Sarah (Croft) Winchester, was baptized Jan. 16, 1757. (First Parish Church Records, Historical Society, No. 8, p. 78.) He lived in Brookline, Roxbury, and Boston, Mass. He married (1st), July 11, 1782, Martha Reed, born in Woburn, Mass., Oct. 15, 1759 (daughter of Mary Townsend Reed). She died Sept. 11, 1791. He married (2d), in 1792, Theodora Wales, born in 1767, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah Wales of Randolph. She died in Roxbury, Mass., Oct. 6, 1795, aged 28. He married (3d), Dec. 10, 1801, Hannah Bates of Abington. He died in Boston, April 3, 1811. His widow married (2d) a Mr. Richardson and died in Philadelphia.

Samuel Winchester had four children by his first wife, two by his second wife, five by his third wife.

The following facts from the late Mrs. Oliver Fisher Winchester, from Prof. Caleb Thomas Winchester, and from notes of Nathaniel Wales Winchester.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN OF SAMUEL WINCHESTER BY HIS FIRST WIFE, MARTHA REED.

1. SAMUEL WINCHESTER, born April 25, 1783; baptized May 11, 1783; died May 7, 1807. (First Parish Church Records.)
2. MARTHA WINCHESTER, born June 12, 1785; baptized June 19, 1785; married, March 8, 1810, Abel Hubbard of Groton.
3. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born Nov. 21; baptized Nov. 25, 1787; died unmarried 1829, in Baltimore, Md.
4. JONATHAN REED WINCHESTER, born March 28, 1790; died Oct. 18, 1793.

CHILDREN BY HIS SECOND WIFE, THEODORA WALES.

5. GEORGE WINCHESTER, born Aug. 1, 1793, in Roxbury, Mass.; died in Middleboro, Mass., Nov. 18, 1862; married May 30, 1816, Betsey Curtis.
6. SARAH WALES WINCHESTER, born Dec. 30, 1794, in Roxbury, Mass.; married Royal Johnson.

CHILDREN BY HIS THIRD WIFE, HANNAH BATES.

7. MARY ANN WINCHESTER, born Oct. 3, 1802, in Roxbury, Mass.; married, Oct. 3, 1818, Cyrus Brett.
8. ABIGAIL CROCKER WINCHESTER, born Jan. 21, 1805, in Roxbury, Mass.; died Nov. 26, 1806.
9. AUGUSTUS WINCHESTER, born Nov. 29, 1806, in Boston, Mass.; died April 7, 1869. Was a merchant in Philadelphia. Married, Oct. 5, 1827, Abigail Hutchinson, born in Boston, May 23, 1805, daughter of James and Sarah (Withington) Hutchinson.
10. SAMUEL CROFT WINCHESTER, born Nov. 30, 1810 (a twin). He was a merchant in Baltimore, Md. Married (1), Nov. 30, 1831, Ruth Elizabeth Gridley, born in Boston, Aug. 30, 1807, daughter of Samuel and Ruth (Studley) Gridley. She died in Baltimore, Md., July 27, 1846; married (2), in Baltimore, Md., 1850, Julia A. Hancock, born in Narrows, Md., May 30, 1828, daughter of Benjamin F. and Mary A. Hancock.
11. OLIVER FISHER WINCHESTER, born Nov. 30, 1810, in Boston (twin brother to Samuel Croft Winchester). He was founder and President of the Winchester Arms Co. of New Haven, Conn.

Married in Boston, in 1834, Jane Ellen Hope, daughter of Robert and Ann (Alldridge) Hope, both of England; died Dec. 14, 1880, in New Haven, Conn.

"Baptized Dec. 24, 1810. Samuel Croft Winchester, Oliver Fisher Winchester, twins." (Records of Hollis Street Church, Boston.)

LINEAGE OF REV. GEORGE WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) Rev. George Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2] *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5]), son of Samuel Winchester and his second wife, Theodora Wales, was born in Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 1, 1793. He was a Methodist clergyman. He died in Middleboro, Mass., Nov. 18, 1862. He married, May 30, 1816, Betsey Curtis, born in East Stoughton, Mass., June 4, 1795, daughter of William and Hannah (Linfield) Curtis. She died in East Stoughton, Feb. 2, 1879.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN.

1. George Hubbard Winchester, born March 22, 1819, in Stoughton, Mass.; died Nov. 6, 1885, in Fairhaven, Mass.; married, June 2, 1845, in Middleboro, Mass., Lucy Thomas. She died in Middletown, Conn., May 8, 1872; married (2) Mrs. Mercy P. Alden of Fairhaven, Mass., July 17, 1873. She died Jan. 9, 1892.
2. Nathaniel Wales Winchester, born May 1, 1821, in Stoughton, Mass.; married (1), April 20, 1845, in Westport, Mass., Rhoda M. Brownell. She died Feb. 22, 1852; married (2), April 3, 1853, in Westport Point, Mass., Cornelia Davis. He died in Fairhaven, Mass.
3. Elizabeth Curtis Winchester, born June 29, 1827, in Stoughton, Mass.; married, July 10, 1850, Southworth Alden in Stoughton, Mass.

(*Gen. VII*) Rev. George Hubbard Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5], *George*[6]) was born at Stoughton, Mass., March 22, 1819; died in Fairhaven, Mass., Nov. 6, 1885. He married (1st), Jan. 2, 1845, in Middleboro, Mass., Lucy Thomas, born Nov. 30, 1816. She died in Middletown, Conn., May 8, 1872. He married (2d), in 1874, in

Fairhaven, Mass., Mercy P. Alden (a widow), who died in Fairhaven, Jan. 9, 1892. She had no children.

(*Gen. VIII*) children of rev. george h. winchester by his first wife, lucy thomas.

1. Caleb Thomas Winchester, born Jan. 18, 1847; married twice.
2. —— Winchester (son), born 1848; died in infancy.
3. —— Winchester (son), born 1849-50; died in infancy.
4. Lucy Malvina Winchester, born in Sandwich, Mass., in 1851; died in Pembroke, Mass., Sept., 1852.
5. Lucy Frances Winchester, born in East Stoughton, Mass., April 24, 1853; unmarried in 1898.
6. George Fletcher Winchester, born in South Scituate, Mass., Feb. 17, 1855. Studied library science in Europe from 1884 to 1888. Librarian of City Library at Paterson, New Jersey, in 1898. Unmarried.
7. Edward Olin Winchester, born in Middleboro, Mass., Jan. 10, 1859; died in Fairhaven, Mass., April 23, 1882.

(*Gen. VIII*) Caleb Thomas Winchester[8] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5], *George*[6], *George Hubbard*[7]), son of Rev. George Hubbard and Lucy (Thomas) Winchester, was born in Montville, Conn., Jan. 18, 1847. He married (1st), Dec. 25, 1872, Julia Stackpole Smith, daughter of William and Lucy (Rollins) Smith. She died in Middletown, Conn., June 25, 1877. He married (2d), April 2, 1880, Alice Goodwin Smith, sister of his first wife.

(*Gen. IX*) child by first wife, julia stackpole smith.

1. Julian Caleb Winchester, born June 23, 1877.

Caleb Thomas Winchester, Professor of English Literature and Rhetoric at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., was born in Montville, Conn., Jan. 18, 1847, but spent most of his early life in Massachusetts, where his father, a retired Methodist minister, had a farm. He entered Wesleyan University in the class of 1869. After graduation, he was Librarian of Wesleyan for ten years or more.

In 1873 he became Professor of English Literature and Rhetoric, and also taught logic until 1880. In 1880-81 he went abroad, spent several months at the University of Leipsic, trav-

eled in Germany, Switzerland, Italy, and England, and spent the summers of 1887, 1897 and 1898 abroad; was also in Europe in 1895 and 1896.

He wrote "Short Courses of Reading," and is the editor of "Selections from Addison"; also is a well-known contributor to papers and magazines. He is regarded as one of the most valuable men of the Wesleyan Faculty.

For many years Mr. Winchester lectured extensively, giving lectures at Johns Hopkins University, at Brown, Amherst, Williams, Northwestern, Wellesley, and Smith Colleges; also at many other places. As a speaker he is well known, his choice of language, charming delivery, original thoughts, combined with great vividness and picturesqueness of expression, making him a delightful lecturer. The honorary degree of L.H.D. was conferred upon him by Dickinson College, Pennsylvania. (Dates and facts from Prof. C. T. Winchester.)

(*Gen. VIII*) GEORGE FLETCHER WINCHESTER[8] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5], *George*[6], *Rev. George*[7]), son of Rev. George Hubbard and Lucy (Thomas) Winchester, born Feb. 17, 1855, in South Scituate, Mass. (now Norwell, Plymouth County, Mass.), was educated chiefly at the public schools. When about twenty-one years old he became librarian in the Russell Library at Middletown, Conn. After several years' work there, he resigned his position and went to Europe, where he studied and traveled a great deal during four years, returning to the United States in 1888. Very soon afterwards he was appointed Librarian of the Free Public Library of Paterson, N. J., which position he still occupies (1900). (From George F. Winchester.)

(*Gen. VII*) NATHANIEL WALES WINCHESTER[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5], *George*[6]), son of Rev. George and Betsey (Curtis) Winchester, was born in Stoughton, Mass., May 1, 1821. He died in Fairhaven, Mass. He married (1st), April 20, 1845, in Westport, Mass., RHODA M. BROWNELL, born in 1825; she died Feb. 22, 1852. He married (2d), April 3, 1853, at Westport, Mass., CORNELIA DAVIS, born there April 16, 1827. (From Notes of Nathaniel Wales Winchester.)

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, RHODA M. BROWNELL.

1. HARRIET ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born April 3, 1849, in Westport, Mass.; married Nov. 29, 1877, at Westport, Alfred H. Campbell. She died at Johnson, Vt., Feb. 16, 1888.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, CORNELIA DAVIS.

2. GEORGE DAVIS WINCHESTER, born June 28, 1854, in Westport, Mass.; married, May 11, 1873, Mary F. Macomber.
3. CHARLES JOB WALES WINCHESTER, born Oct. 18, 1855; married Nov. 28, 1892, in Chicago, Ill., Nellie F. Delano.
4. WILLIAM CURTIS WINCHESTER, born Feb. 15, 1858; died in Westport, Feb. 24, 1862.
5. —— WINCHESTER (daughter—twin), born Aug. 18, 1859, in Westport, Mass.
6. —— WINCHESTER (daughter—twin), born Aug. 18, 1859, in Westport, Mass.
7. WILLIAM CURTIS WINCHESTER, born June 9, 1863; married, March 2, 1887, in Taunton, Mass., Edith E. Caswell.
8. ALICE PECKHAM WINCHESTER, born March 1, 1865; unmarried in 1898; living in New Bedford, Mass., in 1900.

(*Gen. VII*) ELIZABETH CURTIS WINCHESTER, daughter of Rev. George and Betsey (Curtis) Winchester, born in Stoughton, Mass., June 29, 1827; married in Stoughton, July 10, 1850, Southworth Alden, born May 13, 1823. He died in East Stoughton, Mass., Nov. 3, 1890.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN.

1. RHODA ANN ALDEN, born Jan. 18, 1852, in East Stoughton; died April 17, 1853.
2. MARY ELIZABETH ALDEN, born Nov. 27, 1853; married May 30, 1876, Henry H. Snow.
3. EDWARD SOUTHWORTH ALDEN, born Oct. 26, 1859, in East Stoughton; married, June 1, 1881, Francelia M. Madan.

Here ends the lineage of Rev. George and Betsey (Curtis) Winchester, fifth child of Samuel Winchester.

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL WINCHESTER AND HIS THIRD WIFE, HANNAH BATES.

1. MARY ANN WINCHESTER.
2. AUGUSTUS WINCHESTER.

3. Samuel Croft Winchester.
4. Oliver Fisher Winchester.

(*Gen. VI*) Mary Ann Winchester was born in Roxbury, Mass., Oct. 3, 1802; married, Oct. 3, 1818, Cyrus Brett, and they had nine children.

(*Gen. VI*) Augustus Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5]) was born in Boston, Mass., Nov. 29, 1806. He married, Oct. 5, 1828, Abigail Hutchinson of Boston, born May 23, 1805. He was a merchant in Philadelphia, Pa. They had seven children.

(*Gen. VI*) Samuel Croft Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5]) was born Nov. 30, 1810 (twin brother of Lieut. Governor Oliver Fisher Winchester). He was a merchant in Baltimore, Md. He married (1st) Ruth Elizabeth Gridley, Nov. 30, 1831, probably in Boston. She died in Baltimore, Md., July 27, 1846. He married (2d) in Baltimore, Julia A. Hancock, about 1850, or possibly in 1848.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, RUTH E. GRIDLEY.

1. Hannah Elizabeth Winchester.
2. Samuel G. Winchester.
3. Oliver A. Winchester.
4. George H. Winchester.
5. Cathabine Winchester.
6. Ella Winchester.
7. Ruth Winchester.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, JULIA HANCOCK.

8. Virginia Winchester.
9. William Winchester.
10. Elizabeth Winchester.

OLIVER FISHER WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. I*) John Winchester, Sr., married Hannah Scalis in 1638.

(*Gen. II*) John Winchester, Jr., married Joanna Stevens.

(*Gen. III*) Henry Winchester married Frances White, June 28, 1705.

(*Gen. IV*) Rev. Jonathan Winchester married Sarah Croft (or Crafts), May 5, 1748.

(*Gen. V*) Samuel Winchester married (1st) Martha Reed, July 11, 1782; (2d) Theodora Wales, in 1792; (3d) Hannah Bates, Dec. 10, 1801.

Samuel Winchester was baptized in Brookline, Mass., Jan. 16, 1757. (Historical Society, No. 8, p. 78.) According to Nathaniel Winchester's notes, Samuel Winchester was born Jan. 15, 1756, and Church Parish Records and Historical Society give his baptism as Jan. 16, 1757. He married (1) Martha Reed, July 11, 1782; (2) Theodora Wales of Randolph, in 1792; (3) Hannah Bates of Abington, Dec. 10, 1801.

He resided in Brookline and Boston, and died in Boston, April 3, 1811.

He had four children by his first wife, two by his second, and five by his third wife.

The tenth child, Samuel Croft Winchester, and the eleventh child, Oliver Fisher Winchester (twins), were born Nov. 30, 1810.

From records of Hollis Street Church of Boston:

Baptized Dec. 24, 1810

Samuel Croft Winchester } twin sons of
Oliver Fisher Winchester } Samuel Winchester

HON. OLIVER FISHER WINCHESTER, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT IN 1866, AND FOUNDER OF THE WINCHESTER ARMS COMPANY OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., 1860 TO 1865.

(*Gen. VI*) Oliver Fisher Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Henry*[3], *Jonathan*[4], *Samuel*[5]), son of Samuel and Hannah (Bates) Winchester, was born in Boston, Nov. 30, 1810, and baptized there in Hollis Street Church, Dec. 24, 1810.

His father, dying when he was only a year old, and his mother being left with small means and a large family to bring up and educate, he early learned those lessons of fortitude and self-

Hon. Oliver Fisher Winchester.

Founder of Winchester Arms Company of New Haven.
Lieutenant Governor of Connecticut in 1866-67.

reliance which marked his character through life. His earliest years were spent on a farm. At twenty years old, in 1830, we find him in Baltimore, Md., where he soon succeeded in building up a large and successful business, showing at that early age the energy, faithfulness and ability which characterized his whole career.

In 1847 he left Baltimore for New Haven, where he became interested in manufactures, going into partnership with John M. Davies of New York. This firm was extremely successful, but later, after the Civil War, Mr. Winchester devoted his whole attention to the manufacture of firearms and founded the Winchester Arms Company (for which he obtained a special charter in 1865) with a capital of $500,000.

The following from a leading article in the New Haven *Palladium* of Dec. 11, 1880:

"In Mr. Winchester's death New Haven has lost an eminent citizen, to whose public spirit and private enterprise she is indebted for much of her present prosperity. In looking over the list of men of the present generation who have contributed to the work of building up the manufacturing industries of this city, no name stands out with more prominence than that of Mr. Winchester. For thirty years one of our leading manufacturers, he succeeded in developing an industry that has made his name known throughout the length and breadth of the civilized world. The great establishment which he organized, and to which he gave his name, stands to-day as a monument to the great ability and enterprise which marked his whole business career."

He was prominently connected with many local enterprises of a public character; was long a director in the Yale National Bank of New Haven, of which he was one of the founders, and was instrumental in the organization of the New Haven Water Company. But he was more than a man of ability and enterprise—he was public-spirited and of broad charity and benevolence. In 1875 he gave to Yale College a tract of land of thirty-six acres to establish an astronomical and physical observatory, which observatory was built many years ago. He also gave liberally to other departments of Yale College, particularly to the Scientific School. He was connected with the Calvary Baptist Church, though not a member of it, and was one of the largest contributors towards the fund for the erection of their

new house of worship on Chapel Street. In politics, he was a steadfast Republican, and although in no sense a politician, his counsel and advice were sought and relied upon by the party leaders. He rendered much patriotic service during the war, and no private citizen of the State of Connecticut afforded more material assistance than he during the administration of Abraham Lincoln. He served as Councilman from the Fourth Ward in 1863. In 1864 he was a presidential elector at large, and cast his vote for Lincoln. In 1866 he was elected Lieutenant Governor of the State, on the ticket with General Hawley for Governor.

He married, in Boston, Feb. 20, 1834, JANE ELLEN HOPE, born in Portland, Me., Dec. 28, 1807, the daughter of Robert and Ann (Alldridge) Hope, both of England.

Mr. Winchester died in New Haven, Conn., Dec. 10, 1880, at his home on Prospect Street, and was buried in Evergreen Cemetery. His widow, Mrs. Jane Ellen Winchester, survived him many years, dying at her home in New Haven, Conn., March 23, 1898.

Few women in Connecticut, or in New England, have been better known than Mrs. Winchester, owing to the prominence of her husband, the reputation of the Winchester Arms Company, and to her own philanthropy. She was one of the richest women in New England, and it may well be added one of the most generous, using nobly and faithfully the great wealth entrusted to her care. She gave to Yale University Winchester Hall.

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN OF HON. OLIVER FISHER AND JANE ELLEN (HOPE) WINCHESTER.

1. ANN REBECCA WINCHESTER, born June 2, 1835; died Jan. 17, 1864; married Aug. 30, 1859, Rev. Charles B. Dye.
2. WILLIAM WIRT WINCHESTER, born June 22, 1837; married Sept. 30, 1862, Sarah L. Pardee and had one child:
   i. ANNIE PARDEE WINCHESTER, born June 15, 1866; died July 24, 1866.

   Sarah L., widow of William Wirt Winchester, is still living (Oct. 22, 1911) at Menlo Park, California.

3. Hannah Jane Winchester, married, May 9, 1872, in New Haven, Conn., Thomas G. Bennett, who graduated at Yale University, 1870. He was born March 22, 1845, the son of Thomas and Mary Ann (Hall) Bennett.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN OF THOMAS G. AND HANNAH JANE (WINCHESTER) BENNETT.

i. Hope Bennett, born June 2, 1874.
ii. Winchester Bennett, born Aug. 22, 1877; graduated at Yale University, 1897.
iii. Eugene Bristol Bennett, born Feb. 1, 1882; graduated at Yale University, 1904.

Winchester Bennett married, in New Haven, Conn., March 21, 1903, Susan Silliman Wright, daughter of Prof. Arthur Williams and Susan (Silliman) Wright. He graduated from Yale University in 1897. He was Vice President of Winchester Repeating Arms Company in 1911.

CHILDREN.

a. Susan Silliman Bennett, born Dec. 29, 1904.
b. Thomas Gray Bennett, born Feb. 19, 1906.
c. Dorothy Hope Bennett, born Sept. 20, 1907.
d. Barbara Bennett, born May 9, 1909.
e. Jane Winchester Bennett, born June 5, 1911.

(From Mrs. Winchester Bennett.)

WRIGHT LINEAGE.

Jesse Wright, born 1790; died April 4, 1867; married, May 22, 1833, Hannah Williams, born Dec. 30, 1803; died June 18, 1893.

Arthur Williams Wright, Ph.D., Professor of Experimental Physics at Yale University, born Sept. 8, 1836; married, Oct. 6, 1875, in New Haven, Conn., to Susan Forbes Silliman, born July 2, 1841; died Feb. 17, 1890.

Susan Silliman Wright, born Oct. 2, 1876, married, March 21, 1903, Winchester Bennett of New Haven, Conn., born Aug. 22, 1877.

CHILDREN.

1. Susan Silliman Bennett, born in New Haven, Dec. 29, 1904.
2. Thomas Gray Bennett, born Feb. 19, 1906.
3. Dorothy Hope Bennett, born Sept. 20, 1907.

SILLIMAN LINEAGE.

Prof. Benjamin Silliman of Yale University, born Dec. 4, 1816; died Jan. 14, 1885; married, May 14, 1840, Susan Huldah Forbes, born March 6, 1819; died March 26, 1878. The son of Prof. Benjamin Silliman, Sr., of Yale College.

PART SECOND

CHAPTER III

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Frances Winchester Wells.

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Dennis Lineage.

Col. Locke W. Winchester.

Lineage of Benjamin Winchester, Second Son of Benjamin and Prudence (May) Winchester.

CHAPTER III

SOME DESCENDANTS OF BENJAMIN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Benjamin Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *John*[2]) of Grafton (probably previously of Roxbury) executed his will Dec. 25, 1758, and it was allowed July 1, 1762, in which he named wife Elizabeth and children, Thomas, Benjamin, Joshua (deceased), Joseph, Sarah, Ann and Mary. The sons, Thomas and Benjamin, had already moved to Hardwick. Benjamin Winchester married (1st), Dec. 31, 1719, Prudence May, born Nov. 29, 1694, daughter of John and Prudence (Bridge) May of Roxbury. (Roxbury Records; also Boston Records, Commissioners Report 28, p. 325.)

John May, father of Prudence (May) Winchester, in his will, dated Nov. 1, 1729, mentions "heirs of beloved daughter Prudence, deceased."

He was married (2d) to Elizabeth Chamberlain, June 22, 1726, by Rev. James Allen. (Town Records of Brookline.) Elizabeth Chamberlain was the widow of John Chamberlain of Newton, Mass., and the daughter of Joseph Champney of Cambridge, Mass.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN WINCHESTER BY FIRST WIFE, PRUDENCE MAY.

1. Thomas Winchester, baptized Jan. 1, 1721; died in Hardwick, Mass., Jan. 10, 1787; married Mary ——, born 1721; died Sept. 29, 1803.
2. Benjamin Winchester, baptized March 6, 1726; died suddenly while on a journey, at the house of his brother in Grafton, Mass., Jan. 6, 1771, aged 45. Married Sarah, daughter of Deacon Allen, Feb. 19, 1761.

(Brookline Town Records, under Births.)

CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN WINCHESTER BY SECOND WIFE, ELIZABETH CHAMBERLAIN.

3. Joshua Winchester, baptized May 14, 1727. Pierce's History of Grafton, p. 74, and Death Records in possession of Hon. Jonathan

D. Wheeler give: "Aug. 30, 1757, Joshua Whenchester died." Worcester County Probate has administration upon estate of Joshua Winchester of Grafton, 1757. Joshua lived in Grafton. Grafton Vital Records give marriage: Joshua Winchester, Mary Whipple, Dec. 7, 1750; also Widow Mary Winchester, Ephraim Sherman, Jr., May 12, 1760.

CHILDREN OF JOSHUA AND MARY (WHIPPLE) WINCHESTER.

i. MARY WINCHESTER, born June 6, 1751; married Phineas Newton.
ii. SARAH WINCHESTER, born Aug. 17, 1753; married Phineas Leland.
iii. PRUDENCE WINCHESTER, born March 29, 1755, married Samuel Waters.

(The births of Mary and Prudence are given in Vital Records of Grafton.)

4. JOSEPH WINCHESTER, married, April 15, 1756, Lucy Harrington. (Grafton Vital Statistics; also Mrs. Elizabeth Winchester, widow, mother of Joseph Grafton with wife Lucy 1771.)

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH AND LUCY (HARRINGTON) WINCHESTER.

i. ANNA WINCHESTER, born Nov. 6, 1756; married Samuel Biglo(w), Jr.
ii. HULDAH WINCHESTER, born Sept. 17, 1758-9.
iii. BENJAMIN WINCHESTER, born Jan. 4, 1761.
iv. ASA WINCHESTER, born March 24, 1763.
v. JOSEPH WINCHESTER, born Oct. 27, 1765.
vi. JOSHUA WINCHESTER, born March 20, 1768.
vii. ANTIPAS WINCHESTER, born Feb. 9, 1771.

5. PRUDENCE WINCHESTER, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Winchester, born at Sudbury, Nov. 29, 1734. (Sudbury Vital Records.) As she is not mentioned in her father's will, she must have died before 1758.
6. ANN WINCHESTER, born March 23, 1737-8, at Westboro, Mass.
7. MARY WINCHESTER, born Dec. 18, 1739, at Westboro, Mass. (Westboro Vital Records.)

WILL OF BENJAMIN WINCHESTER.

Will allowed July 1, 1762.

In the name of God, Amen, I, Benjamin Winchester of Grafton in the County of Worcester in the Province of the Massachusetts Bay, in New England, Husbandman, tho' now sound in understanding & enjoying health of body to God the Glory! yet sensible of my frailty do make this my last will & testament in manner following viz

In the main place I desire to yield up my spirit to God who gave it: my body to be buryed in such decent manner as my executors hereafter to be named shall think fit; And as for the worldly substance which it has pleased God to vouchsafe to me, I would thus dispose of it.

Seal I will that all my just debts be duely paid, which being done I give unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Half my place or the severall pieces of land where I live and which I possess, for her use and benefit during ye time of her continuing my widow; with the whole of the house where I dwell except as hereafter shall be specified. I will & bequeath unto her also all my moveables within doors, and all my stock without doors; in particular, an horse shall be kept for her use; and sufficient firewood, brought to the Door for her.

Item. I give unto my son, Thomas the sum of Forty shillings also a suit of curtains & a pewter Dish which were his mothers.

Item. I give unto my son Benjamin Five Shillings and a pewter dish which was his mothers.

Item. I give to the Heirs of my son Joshua, viz, Mary, Sarah & Prudence Winchester Four pounds apiece; when they shall be eighteen years old.

Item. I give unto my son Joseph the above mentioned half of my estate, given to his mother, that is to say, when she shall either marry again or decease; together with the House as there mentioned excepting as hereafter in the case of his sisters—I bequeath him also what shall remain of my stock at his mothers decease; likewise all the Husbandry tools—But all these upon this condition & no otherwise, namely, that he discharge fully all the debts and legacys aforesaid, & that shall be hereafter mentioned in this instrument and shall defray ye funeral charges. The legacys to my sons or their heirs as aforesaid, within a year after my decease, & the legacys which shall be bequeathed to my daughters hereafter to be mentioned, he shall pay to ye first of them, the second year, to the second the third year, to the third the fourth year after my decease. These shall my son Joseph be charged with, & whatever else is required in this my last will to be done, I having already given him a deed of the other half of my place, of the same date with these presents.

Item. I give unto my three daughters, Sarah, Anna & Mary thirteen pounds six shillings & eight pence apiece; to be paid to each of them as aforesaid. And free liberty to dwell and inprove that part of the House which I have been wont to live in, during their lives unless they shall marry; and then this article of ye house shall cease. These daughters shall furthermore have the moveables within doors, that is such as their mother shall leave when she shall decease.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my well beloved wife Elizabeth, aforesaid, and my son Joseph above mentioned executrix and executor of this my last will & testament; hereby revoking and disannulling every thing of this kind heretofore. But ratifying & confirming this, and whatsoever is contained in it.

Signd, Seald, publishd and declard by me to be my last will and testament as aforsaid this twenty fifth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, and in the thirty second year

of the Reign of George the second of Great Britain, France & Ireland, King Defender of the Faith &c.

In presence of
ELIZABETH JOHNSON.
BENJAMIN TAINTER.
THOMAS PARKMAN.

Note well.
In this page the obliterating in ye 2d, 3d and 5th lines, the words, they shall also have sufficient fire wood brought to their door & the words (& wood) was before signing. As were those words in the first page inserted in the margin against the caret in Line seventeenth (except as hereafter shall be specified).

BENJAMIN WINCHESTER. (seal)

Copy.
Attest: GEORGE H. HARLOW
Register.

THOMAS WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) THOMAS WINCHESTER[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3]), son of Benjamin and Prudence (May) Winchester, baptized in Brookline, Mass., Jan. 1, 1721; died in Hardwick, Mass., Jan. 10, 1787, aged 65-6. (Town Records.) He removed to Hardwick previous to 1758. (See his father's will; also Worcester Deeds, Vol. 38, p. 30, Thomas Winchester of Hardwick, 1749.) He married MARY PRATT of Grafton, Nov. 24, 1748. She was born about 1721, and died Sept. 29, 1803, aged 82.

Vital Records of Westboro, Mass., give: Thomas Winchester, Mary Pratt of Grafton; date of marriage, Nov. 24, 1748. (See also Paige's History of Hardwick, Mass., p. 540.)

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

1. MOSES WINCHESTER, born Sept. 5, 1749; married Margery Forbush, March 9, 1780; died March 11, 1831. (Worcester, Mass., Deeds, Vol. 116, p. 7: Moses and Marjory Winchester of Hardwick to brother Thomas, 1792.)
2. THOMAS WINCHESTER, born Sept. 1, 1751; died April 24, 1753.
3. MARY WINCHESTER, born April 10, 1753; married Elijah Washburn, Jan. 1, 1778.
4. PRUDENCE WINCHESTER, born Oct. 10, 1755; married Oliver Baily of Cummington, June 3, 1779.

5. Elizabeth Winchester, born March 14, 1760; married Theodorus Forbes of Wilmington, Jan. 22, 1781.
6. Thomas Winchester, born Dec. 9, 1763; married Patience Dennis, Dec. 23, 1787. He died about 1812; Patience died Oct. 5, 1809, aged 40.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN OF THOMAS AND PATIENCE (DENNIS) WINCHESTER.

1. Anson Winchester, born Nov., 1788; died April 22, 1790.
2. Anson Winchester, born Dec. 3, 1790.
3. Thomas Elliot Winchester, born about 1792; baptized (as an adult) April 2, 1820.
4. David Dennis Winchester, born at Hardwick, Mass., May 16, 1797; married Dec. 3, 1820, Sarah Wilson. He died in New York City, Aug. 5, 1868. (The above dates are from Family Bible in possession of Mrs. Gray (Sarah Frances Winchester); also from papers sent to me in 1908-9 by Mrs. Mary L. (Denison) Winchester, particularly in regard to birth and death of David Dennis Winchester. His second son was Col. Locke W. Winchester of New York.

ANSON WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) Anson Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3], *Thomas*[4], *Thomas*[5]), son of Thomas and Patience (Dennis) Winchester, born Dec. 3, 1790; married Harriet Carpenter, daughter of Elijah Carpenter, Sept. 2, 1812. He was elected Deacon of the church March 10, 1824 (I suppose of Hardwick, Mass.); removed to Meriden, N. Y., about 1830. He died at Susanville, Cal., Sept., 1877, aged 87. (His son, Elliot Winchester, in 1898, wrote to Mrs. Hotchkiss from Susanville, Cal., informing her of his parentage and of the death of his father there in 1877.)

(*Gen. VII*) CHILDREN.

1. Thomas Dennis Winchester, born July 22, 1813.
2. Moses Dwight Winchester, born Oct. 13, 1815.
3. Elijah Carpenter Winchester, born Sept. 15, 1817.
4. Elliot Winchester, born March 22, 1821, in Hardwick, Mass. He emigrated to Susanville, Cal., and was there in 1898.
5. Lewis Winchester, born July 10, 1823.
6. Lucius Winchester, born March 14, 1828.

DAVID DENNIS WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) David Dennis Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3], *Thomas*[4], *Thomas*[5]), son of Thomas and Patience (Dennis) Winchester, born at Hardwick, Worcester County, Mass., May 16, 1797; died in New York City, Aug. 5, 1868 (from Records in Bible owned by Mrs. Sarah Frances (Winchester) Gray, living in Whitewater, Wis., in 1908); married, Dec. 13, 1820, Sarah Wilson, born at Paxton, Mass., May 30, 1792. She died in New York City, March 7, 1877.

Sarah Wilson of Worcester, Mass., was the daughter of Capt. Oliver Wilson, who had served in the Revolution under Washington and was at the battle of Bunker Hill.

David Dennis Winchester was a man of great probity of character, and both in business and social circles was held in high esteem.

(*Gen. VII*) children.

1. Lucius Allen Winchester, born in Hartford, Vt., Sept. 22, 1821; died at Whitewater, Wis., April 9, 1890.
2. Laureston Wilson Winchester (he used the name of Locke instead of Laureston), born at Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 1, 1823; died in New York City, May 17, 1895; married Eliza Lewis, daughter of Capt. Robert Lewis of New York in 1845.
3. Thomas Dennis Winchester, born in Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 24, 1825; died in New York City, Dec. 12, 1888.
4. Benjamin Frank Winchester, born in Woodstock, Vt., Oct. 12, 1828; died in 1865.
5. Sarah Frances Winchester, born in Woodstock, Vt., Oct. 12, 1828 (must have been a twin of the above); died Sept. 4, 1855.
6. George E. Winchester, born in Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 5, 1832; died April 22, 1832.
7. Lorenzo G. Winchester, born in Woodstock, Vt., Feb. 24, 1836; died in Springfield, Mass., Aug. 3, 1849.

LUCIUS ALLEN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Lucius Allen Winchester[7] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3], *Thomas*[4], *Thomas*[5], *David Dennis*[6]), son of David Dennis and Sarah (Wilson) Winchester, born at Hartford, Vt.,

Sept. 22, 1821; died at Whitewater, Wis., April 9, 1890; married (1st) at Whitewater, Wis., Lucy Ann Wakeley, Jan. 3, 1849. She was born at Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 20, 1825; died at Whitewater, Jan. 5, 1861. He married (2d) at Whitewater, Wis., July 1, 1865, Charlotte Eliza Clark, born at Sangerfield, Madison County, N. Y., June 24, 1838; died Oct. 11, 1903.

(*Gen. VIII*) CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, LUCY ANN WAKELEY.

1. Frank Wilson Winchester, born at Whitewater, Wis., Oct. 29, 1853; died May 31, 1881; married Mary Louise Denison.
2. Charles Wakeley Winchester, born at Whitewater, Dec. 30, 1860; died there Aug. 18, 1889.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE, CHARLOTTE ELIZA CLARK.

3. Sarah Frances Winchester, born at Whitewater, April 27, 1870; married April 3, 1890, Carroll Eugene Gray.
4. Mabel Winchester, born at Whitewater, July 26, 1875; died there Oct. 1, 1890.

FRANK WILSON WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VIII*) Frank Wilson Winchester[8] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3], *Thomas*[4], *Thomas*[5], *David Dennis*[6], *Lucius Allen*[7]), son of Lucius Allen and Lucy Ann (Wakeley) Winchester; married at Whitewater, Wis., Oct. 13, 1880, Mary Louise Denison, born July 9, 1857. Went to college; afterwards entered his father's business; he was a manufacturer of wagons.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. Frances Winchester, born Dec. 25, 1881, at Whitewater, Wis.; graduated at Vassar in the class of 1904. She married, Jan. 22, 1910, Ralph Waldo Wells of Menominee, Mich.

(*Gen. VIII*) Sarah Frances Winchester, born April 27, 1870, daughter of Lucius Allen Winchester and his second wife, Charlotte E. Clark; married at Whitewater, Wis., April 3, 1890, Carroll Eugene Gray, born Sept. 7, 1862.

(*Gen. IX*) CHILDREN.

1. Carroll Eugene Gray, born March 8, 1891.
2. Laureston Winchester Gray, born Sept. 8, 1892.

3. Stanley Francis Gray, born Sept. 19, 1894.
4. Marjorie Gray, born April 6, 1897.
5. Frank Winchester Gray, born Dec. 14, 1898.
6. Theodore Winchester Gray, born Nov. 19, 1904.
7. Lucius Winchester Gray, born Dec. 30, 1907; died June 3, 1908.

LINEAGE OF COL. LOCKE W. WINCHESTER OF NEW YORK.

(*Gen. I*) John Winchester, Sr., married Hannah Sealis in 1638. Their son,

(*Gen. II*) John Winchester, Jr., married Joanna Stevens. Their son,

(*Gen. III*) Benjamin Winchester, married (1) Prudence May of Grafton (previously of Roxbury), Dec. 31, 1719. Their son,

(*Gen. IV*) Thomas Winchester, born about 1722; died in Hardwick, Mass., Jan. 10, 1787, aged 65; married Mary ——, born in 1721; died 1803, aged 82. Their son,

(*Gen. V*) Thomas Winchester, born Dec. 9, 1763; died about 1812; married, Dec. 23, 1787, Patience Dennis, born about 1769; died Oct. 5, 1809. She was daughter of Rev. Samuel Dennis. Their son,

(*Gen. VI*) David Dennis Winchester, born March, 1795; died in New York City in 1867; married Sarah Wilson, daughter of Capt. Oliver Wilson of Worcester, Mass. Their second son,

(*Gen. VII*) Col. Laureston or Locke W. Winchester, as he was generally called, born in Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 1, 1823; died in New York City, May 17, 1895; married Eliza Lewis in 1845. She was daughter of Capt. Robert Lewis of New York. Died in New York City, July 31, 1909.

DENNIS LINEAGE.

Samuel Dennis was a Baptist minister, born in Sutton; he removed to Petersham, where he preached several years. From Petersham he went to Barre, and soon afterwards to Hard-

wick, where he bought the Sears farm in 1777, and died in 1784.

CHILDREN.

1. Adonijah Dennis, born July 12, 1759.
2. Patience Dennis, born about 1769; died Oct. 5, 1809; married Thomas Winchester, Dec. 23, 1787.
3. Samuel Dennis, married Anna Cobb, May 3, 1788.
4. Polly Dennis, married Roger Wing, May 24, 1790.

(And perhaps others.)

Samuel, the father, was probably of the Ipswich family.

(The Dennis lineage was sent to Col. Locke W. Winchester by S. S. Dennis of Hardwick, Mass., in Nov., 1894.)

COL. LOCKE W. WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VII*) Col. Locke W. Winchester (his baptismal name was Laureston), second son of David D. and Sarah (Wilson) Winchester, a prominent citizen of New York, Vice President of the National Express Company, a Commandant of the Seventh Regiment Veteran Corps, was born in Woodstock, Vt., Aug. 1, 1823, a descendant of Benjamin Winchester of Grafton, Mass., the son of John Winchester, Jr., grandson of John Winchester, Sr., who came to New England in 1635. Mr. Winchester's father, David D. Winchester, was a native of Boston, Mass., but for many years lived in Woodstock, Vt., where his second son received a good English education, and fitted for college. He entered Dartmouth in 1840, but not desiring a professional career, left college after two years and went to New York in 1842, where he found employment with Mr. Harnden, the founder of express transportation. He was then only eighteen, but displayed great aptitude for his duties and developed great executive ability.

He was in the express business for many years, holding high and responsible positions, and in 1883 Mr. Johnston Livingston, having become President of the National Express Company, Mr. Winchester was chosen its Vice President, besides being reëlected as General Manager and Treasurer. He was one of

the original incorporators of the Adams Express Company, and also of Wells, Fargo & Company.

Mr. Winchester was well known in the best social circles of New York, and a prominent member of the New England Society, of which he was a director for several years; he was also a member of the Union League Club.

He was a member of the Seventh Regiment, National Guard, and served with the regiment in the defence of Washington in 1861, and also in its second campaign in 1862, at the close of which he resigned his commission. He took a prominent part in the affairs of the Seventh Regiment Veteran Association, numbering upwards of 13,000 men, who served their time as guardsmen in the Seventh Regiment, constituting a veritable "Corps d'élite." Of this organization he was chosen Colonel in 1883, and reëlected in 1885, without a dissenting vote. In appreciation of his military courtesy in ordering the Command to participate in the reception and dedication of the bronze equestrian statue of Bolivar, a gift of Venezuela to the United States, the President and Congress of the Sister Republic conferred upon him the high distinction of the "Order of the Bust of the Liberator," with the star and decoration of the third class (Knight Commander), an honor usually restricted to Governors of States and Generals-in-Chief.

Mr. Winchester was very fond of outdoor sports, and one of the most successful fishermen in our country; he originated the famous "Restigouche Salmon Club," of which he was President for three years.

Colonel Winchester was an active Republican, and in municipal affairs public-spirited and impartial, seeking only the best interests of his fellow citizens and the advancement of the city of his adoption.

In 1845 he married Eliza Lewis, daughter of Capt. Robert Lewis of New York. May 17, 1895, Col. Locke W. Winchester died very suddenly, of heart failure, in New York City. He had no children.

The above facts were sent to Mrs. J. S. Hotchkiss by Mrs. Locke W. Winchester after the death of her husband; the original sketch having been much curtailed.

Mrs. Locke W. Winchester died in New York City, July 31, 1909. (From Mrs. Mary Denison Winchester, her niece, in 1910.)

BENJAMIN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Benjamin Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *John*[2], *Benjamin*[3]), second son of Benjamin and Prudence (May) Winchester, baptized March 6, 1726.

In the French and Indian war, Benjamin Winchester served in 1757. (Worcester, Mass., Deeds, Vol. 41, p. 359.)

Benjamin Winchester of Roxbury buys 90 acres in Hardwick from Kenelm Winslow, April 16, 1755.

He married Sarah Allen, daughter of Deacon Joseph Allen, Feb. 19, 1761. He died suddenly, while on a journey, at the house of his brother Joseph, in Grafton, Mass., Jan. 6, 1771, aged about 45.

Benjamin Winchester's estate of Hardwick, administered Feb., 1776. (Worcester, Mass., Deeds, Vol. 66, p. 505.)

(*Gen. V*) children of benjamin and sarah (allen) winchester.

1. Prudence Winchester, born Oct. 17, 1762; married Jonas Allen (then of Sutton), Feb. 15, 1781; died in Hardwick, Dec. 19, 1797.
2. Sarah Winchester, born Aug. 16, 1767; married Jonas Allen, Aug. 29, 1798 (she must have been his second wife). She died May 10, 1802.
3. Benjamin Winchester, born Dec. 2, 1769, in Hardwick, Mass.; married Rebecca, daughter of James Wing, May 31, 1801.

PART THIRD

CHAPTER I

Josiah Winchester.

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CHAPTER I

JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) Josiah Winchester[2] (*John*[1]), son of John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, born in Scituate, Mass., March 27, and baptized May 20, 1655. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 121.) Lived in Brookline, Mass., where he died Feb. 22, 1728. He married, Dec. 10, 1678, Mary Lyon, daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon. She was born 4, 9, 1650; baptized 20, 6, 1651, and died July 27, 1730. After the death of Josiah Winchester, his widow went to live in Attleboro or Rehoboth, taking some of her children with her.

Josiah Winchester filled the following town offices: Tythingman, Selectman, Grand Juryman, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk and Representative in 1711, 1713, 1717.

Josiah Winchester married Mary, daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon, Dec. 10, 1678. He died Feb. 22, 1728. His wife died July 27, 1730. (From Edgar Clinton Winchester in May, 1898.)

From Family Records of Brookline (Josiah Winchester and Mary (Lyon):

(*Gen. III*) children of josiah and mary (lyon) winchester.

1680, M. 1, day 28, Hannah, daughter of Josiah Winchester.
1681, M. 11, day 1, Josiah, son of Josiah Winchester.
1684, M. 1, day 9, Ebenezer, son of Josiah Winchester. Died Aug. 10, 1684 (Kingman of N. E. Gen. Society.)
1685, M. 7, day 20, Mary, daughter of Josiah Winchester.
1688, April, day 8, Amariah, the son of Josiah Winchester.
1691, March 14 (old style), Elhanan, son of Josiah Winchester. (Was born in 1692. Jackson's History of Newton, Mass., p. 449.)

(Baptisms from Roxbury Church Records, Vol. 1881.)

JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) Josiah Winchester[2] (*John*[1]), son of John and Hannah (Sealis) Winchester, was born March 27, and baptized May 20, 1655. His baptism is in Roxbury Church Records, p. 121, 1655, Moneth 3, day 20. "Josias Winchester, son of Goodman Winchester of Scituate," which statement leads one to infer that probably John Winchester was then living in Scituate and moved afterwards to Brookline.

Josiah and his brother John Winchester were men of sterling qualities and marked ability. Wise leaders in all movements for the growth, prosperity and welfare of the small hamlet of Muddy River (now the beautiful town of Brookline), they were among the first to sign the petitions for the separation of that town from Boston. The first of these petitions, bearing the names of only eight persons, was signed by both John and Josiah. The second, which was finally granted in 1705, bears the signatures of no less than five Winchesters. The influence of these two brothers was strongly felt in the civil and religious affairs of that day.

In 1680, we read, "Josiah Winchester received to tak hold on the covenant"; and again, in 1685, "M. 9, dy 22, Josiah Winchester confessed & was received to full Comunion." (Roxbury Land and Church Records, pp. 94, 98.)

The two brothers held nearly every town office in the gift of their fellow townsmen, which proves they were held in high esteem, and were willing and able workers in the upbuilding of their native place.

Josiah Winchester was chosen Constable, March 16, 1689-90; afterward, Tythingman, Fence-Viewer, Selectman, Grand Juryman, Town Treasurer and Town Clerk. To many of these offices he was repeatedly elected, occupying as many as three offices in 1715: those of Selectman, Assessor and Town Treasurer. He was often on committees to manage town and church affairs.

May 11, 1713, he "was chosen by the major part of the Electors then present, to serve for and Represent them in a Great and General Court or Assembly appointed to be convened Held and Kept for her Majesty's Service at ye Town house in Boston upon Wednesday the 27 day of May 1713." He had previously served as Representative in 1711, and was again chosen in 1717.

On the 29th of April, 1718, the committee "chosen to dispose of ye vacant room in ye meeting house," voted: "Josiah Winchester senr. that he should have that spott or room on the right hand of the coming in at the southerly Door of the meeting house & valued it at three pounds & ten shillings, who accepted thereof." (Brookline, Mass., Records.)

He married, Dec. 10, 1678, MARY LYON, daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon.

Josiah Winchester died in Brookline, Mass., Feb. 22, 1727-8, aged about 72. His wife died July 27, 1730. Mary, widow of Josiah Winchester, petitioned the Court as follows:

"By reason of old age and infirmity, I am not able to take upon me the administration of my late husband Josiah Winchester . . . and pray my eldest son Ameriah Winchester be appointed. Witness, Isaac Bowen."

Endorsement on back of "Apprizement of the Real Estate of Josiah Winchester": Ameriah Winchester, Elhanan Winchester, Josiah Winchester deed. Hannah Bowen (Isaac wife) deed, Mary Hovey, Caleb. (Case No. 5586, Suffolk County Probate Court Records, Boston, Mass.; also cases No. 5523-4, to prove Isaac Bowen married Hannah, daughter of Josiah Winchester.)

The value of Josiah Winchester's estate was £1,477, 16, 10. Amariah and Elhanan Winchester took the estate and paid the other heirs: Heirs of Josiah (Jr.) a double portion, £328, 8 s., 2 d. To Hannah Bowen, deceased, or her heirs, £164, 4, 1. (Suffolk County Probate Records, Boston, Vol. 27, p. 206.)

For the above facts in regard to Josiah Winchester, I am indebted to Edward Augustus Bowen; also to Edgar Clinton Winchester of South Windham, Conn., for date of Josiah's marriage to Mary Lyon, etc.

LYON LINEAGE.

Josiah Winchester married, Dec. 10, 1678, Mary Lyon, born 4, 9, 1650; baptized 20, 6, 1651; died July 27, 1730. Josiah Winchester, her husband, died Feb. 22, 1728. (Lyon Genealogy of Massachusetts, p. 321.)

Mary Lyon was the daughter of Peter and Ann Lyon.

A correct copy from Pioneers of Massachusetts, by Pope: Lyon, Lion. Peter, weaver, Dorchester, 1639, propr., freeman May 2, 1649. Susanna, (his wife?) memb. chh. before 1639. His wife "Ann" died Nov. 26, 1689."

While sending me the above, Mr. Cunningham, a fine Boston genealogist, adds: "Very likely Susanna and Ann are one and the same."

From N. E. Genealogical Register, 1849, p. 192, and from Dorchester, Mass., Records: Peter Lyon, freeman 2 May, 1649.

N. E. Genealogical Register, 1847, p. 138, First Settlers in New England: Lyon, Peter, Dorchester 1664.

N. E. Genealogical Register, 1868, p. 263, Members admitted into full com'mion in ye Chh. of Milton (Mr. Thacher's Diary) 1695-6: Aug. 2, Peter and Jane Lion; by a Letter of Dismission from Dorchester. (This was probably a son of Peter Lyon, Sr.)

From Dorchester, Mass., Records and from Edgar Clinton Winchester in 1898: Peter Lyon of Dorchester, admitted to Church 2, 4, 1689. Ann, wife of Peter Lyon, Sr., died Nov. 26, 1689. (Also First Church Records.)

As to the English home of Peter Lyon, all data point to London, either of Essex or Middlesex stock. (Lyon Genealogy of Massachusetts, pp. 320, 321.)

Peter Lyon's estate administered by his son-in-law Daniel Morey Carter of Boston, Jan. 8, 1694-5. (Pope's Pioneers of Massachusetts.)

CHILDREN.

1. Mary Lyon, born 4, 9, 1650.
2. Elhanan Lyon, born 23, 7, 1652.

3. Nathaniel Lyon, born 28, 10, 1654.
4. Susanna Lyon, baptized 28, 1, 1658.
5. Ebenezer Lyon, born 20, 12, 1660.
6. Peter Lyon, baptized 6, 7, 1663.
7. Israel Lyon, born 21, 8, 1666.
8. Mehitable Lyon, born 28, 8, 1669.
9. Eliab Lyon, born July 2, 1673.
10. Freegrace Lyon, born Aug. 18, 1677.

DESCENDANTS IN MALE LINE OF JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. II*) Josiah Winchester[2] (*John*[1]),

(*Gen. III*) children.

1. Hannah Winchester, born 1680; died Nov. 22, 1717.
2. Josiah Winchester, born 1681; died April 28, 1724.
3. Ebenezer Winchester, born 1684; died Aug. 10, 1684.
4. Mary Winchester, born 1685.
5. Amariah Winchester, born 1688; was alive and acknowledged a deed before a justice of the peace, with wife Sarah, Jan., 1773.
6. Elhanan Winchester, born 1691-2; married Mary ——.

(*Gen. III*) Josiah Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]).

(*Gen. IV*) children.

1. Sarah Winchester, born June 6, 1708; died Aug. 11, 1708.
2. Caleb Winchester, born Aug. 5, 1709.
3. Sarah Winchester, born July 17, 1713.
4. Josiah Winchester, born 1719; died 1720.
5. Nathaniel Winchester, born April 27, 1721.

(*Gen. III*) Amariah Winchester[3], (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]).

(*Gen. IV*) children.

1. Hannah Winchester, born in Brookline, Feb. 9, 1715.
2. Amariah Winchester, born in Roxbury, July 27, 1717.
3. Andrew Winchester, born Feb. 4; baptized March 3, 1723.
4. Lucy Winchester, born May 2; baptized 1727.
5. Sarah Winchester, baptized April 17, 1730.
6. James Winchester, baptized Sept. 30, 1733.

(*Gen. III*) Elhanan Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]).

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

1. ELHANAN (DEACON) WINCHESTER, born 1719. (Jackson's Newton.)
2. ISAAC WINCHESTER, baptized 1721.
3. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, baptized Aug. 9, 1724.
4. SARAH WINCHESTER, baptized April 2, 1727.
5. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, baptized April 28, 1729.
6. DANIEL WINCHESTER, baptized Feb. 18, 1733.
7. MOSES WINCHESTER, baptized Oct. 9, 1737.

(First Parish Church Records of Brookline, Mass.)

HANNAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) HANNAH WINCHESTER, daughter of Josiah and Mary (Lyon) Winchester of Muddy River (now Brookline), born Jan. 11, 1679-80, was baptized March 28, 1679-80. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 135.) She married, probably in 1698, Isaac Bowen, born in Roxbury, April 20, 1676, son of Lieut. Henry and Elizabeth (Johnson) Bowen.

Isaac Bowen leased of Deputy Governor Thomas Danforth a farm in Framingham, Mass., and moved to that town. He was one of the organizers of the First Church in Framingham, and one of its eighteen original members. He sold his property in Framingham to Moses Haven of Lynn, Nov. 18, 1702, and moved back to Roxbury, being dismissed from the Framingham Church in November, 1703. His wife Hannah was admitted to full communion to the church in Roxbury, in Feb., 1706, and she died at Roxbury, Nov. 22, 1717.

After the death of her father, Josiah Winchester, there was awarded "to Hannah Bowen, deceased, or her heirs" £164, 4, 1, from his estate.

Isaac Bowen was a witness to Mary Winchester's petition about the administration of her late husband, Josiah Winchester's estate, and his signature thereon is the only one found.

Suffolk County Probate Records, Vol. 27, p. 206; Cases 5523, 5524 and 5586, and Vol. 28, pp. 153, 154, in the Suffolk County Probate Court, prove Hannah Bowen to have been the daughter of Josiah and Mary Winchester.

Isaac Bowen married (2d), April 15, 1720, Elizabeth Tucker, daughter of Lieut. Benjamin and Anne Tucker of Roxbury. She was born Dec. 20, 1688. He moved with his family to a newly purchased farm in "Dorchester New Grant," which name was afterwards changed to Stoughton, and there he died Jan. 1, 1726-7.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF ISAAC AND HANNAH (WINCHESTER) BOWEN.

1. HENRY BOWEN, born in Framingham, March 30, 1700; died 1758; married Margaret Davis.
2. HANNAH BOWEN, born in Roxbury, Oct. 25, 1702; died 1735.
3. MARY BOWEN, born in Roxbury, Dec. 13, 1704; died June 17, 1775; married, April 2, 1728, Capt. Thomas Clark of Newton.
4. ISAAC BOWEN, born in Roxbury, July 29, 1707; married in 1733, Jerusha Prentice, daughter of Capt. Thomas and Elizabeth (Jackson) Prentice of Newton, Mass.
5. SARAH BOWEN, born in Roxbury, Sept. 22, 1709; died Aug. 20, 1716.
6. JOSIAH BOWEN, born in Roxbury, Nov. 1, 1711; married Mary Winchester, daughter of Elhanan Winchester of Brookline. They joined the church in Brookline, Dec. 3, 1732. (Brooklyn Church Records.) She died in Brookline, Oct. 4, 1782. Their son, Samuel Bowen, baptized Sept. 25, 1737. (Brookline Church Records.)
7. PENNEL BOWEN, born in Roxbury, March 29, 1715.
8. SARAH BOWEN, born in Roxbury, April 23, 1717. Her grandmother, Mary Winchester, bequeathed to "Sarah Boing" her "great platter and warming pan." (Lineage of the Bowens, by Ed. A. Bowen, 1897.)

LINEAGE OF HENRY CHANDLER BOWEN.

(*John Winchester*[1], *Josiah Winchester*[2], *Hannah Winchester*[3] *married Isaac Bowen, Henry Bowen*[4], *Matthew Bowen*[5], *Nathan Bowen*[6], *George Bowen*[7], *Henry Chandler Bowen*[8], *Clarence Winthrop Bowen*[9].)

JOSIAH WINCHESTER. Born 1655; died 1727-8. = MARY LYON. Born 1650; died 1730.

ISAAC BOWEN. Born 1676; died 1727. = HANNAH WINCHESTER. Born 1679; died 1717-18.

HENRY BOWEN. Born 1700; died 1758. = MARGARET DAVIS. Born 1699; died 1762.

Capt. Matthew Bowen. Born 1724; died 1806.	= Mary Dana. Born 1727; died 1813.
William Bowen. Born 1763; died 1837.	= Mary Chandler. Born 1760; died 1834.
George Bowen. Born 1789; died 1846.	= Lydia Walcott Eaton. Born 1793; died 1864.
Henry Chandler Bowen. Born 1813; died Feb. 24, 1896.	= (1) Lucy Maria Tappan. Born 1825; died 1863. Married June 6, 1844.
	= (2) Ellen Holt. Born 1834. Married Dec. 25, 1865.

CHILDREN OF HENRY CHANDLER AND LUCY MARIA (TAPPAN) BOWEN.

1. Henry Elliott Bowen, born March 31, 1845.
2. Edward Augustus Bowen, born Jan. 31, 1847.
3. Mary Louisa Bowen, born July 26, 1848.
4. Grace Aspinwall Bowen, born Feb. 4, 1850.
5. Clarence Winthrop Bowen, born May 22, 1852; married, in Chicago, Ill., Jan. 28, 1892, Roxana Atwater, daughter of John and Roxana Marie (Loomis) Wentworth.
6. Alice Linden Bowen, born March 9, 1854.
7. Herbert Wolcott Bowen, born Feb. 29, 1856.
8. John Eliot Bowen, born June 8, 1858; died 1890.
9. Franklin Davis Bowen, born Oct. 29, 1860.
10. Winthrop Earl Bowen, born Feb. 22, 1863; died May 12, 1865.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE, ELLEN HOLT.

11. Paul Holt Bowen, born Sept. 25, 1868; died 1895.

JOSIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Josiah Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]), baptized m. 11, day 1, 1681 (Roxbury Church Records, p. 136); new style, Jan. 1, 1682. He married, March 25, 1707, Sarah Seaver, daughter of Caleb and Sarah (Ingoldsby) Seaver. (Roxbury Records.) She was born Aug. 1, 1686. (Seaver Genealogy.)

Her father, Caleb Seaver, in will made 1710, names his daughter Sarah Winchester. See Judge Sewall's Diary, Vol. 2, p. 305: 1708, April 18, Josiah Winchester and Sarah Win-

chester his wife, owned ye covenant. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 143.)

Josiah Winchester died April 28, 1724, aged 43. The notice of his death is given by Samuel Sewall, Jr., in his diary: "1724, May 1st, Mr. Josiah Winchester inn Buried—a great many people. Die suddenly and much lamented. He died last Tuesday Night (April 28th)." Josiah Winchester was one of the thirty-two inhabitants of Muddy River who signed the petition to the General Court in the autumn of 1705 praying "Muddy River [now Brookline] might be allowed a separate village or peculiar, and be invested with such powers and rights, as they may be enabled by themselves to manage the general affairs of the said place." (N. E. Genealogical Register, 1862, Vol. XVI, pp. 63, 64.)

Sarah, widow of Josiah Winchester, married (2d), Oct. 12, 1725-6, Benjamin Viall of Barrington, County of Bristol. He also lived in Rehoboth, Mass., where he died Sept. 6, 1750. His will mentions wife Sarah. (Brookline Town Records.)

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF JOSIAH AND SARAH (SEAVER) WINCHESTER.

1. SARAH WINCHESTER, born June 6, 1708; died Aug. 11, 1708. (Brookline Town Records, book 3, p. 191.)
2. CALEB WINCHESTER, born Aug. 5, 1709; wife Mary, inventory taken Dec. 14, 1736. Caleb Winchester of Boston, widow Mary, administered. In 1756 she was Mary Ward. Ben Viall was creditor. Son Caleb chose Steven Gibson of Stow as guardian. (East Cambridge Deeds, Suffolk File 1800.)
3. SARAH WINCHESTER, born July 17, 1713; married in Swansea, Mass., Jan. 10, 1733-4, Constant, son of Jonathan and Mercy Vial; he was born at Swansea, April 13, 1707; resided at Barrington, Warren and Rehoboth, Mass.

CHILDREN.

i. CONSTANT VIALL, born Oct. 10, 1734.
ii. SARAH VIALL, born Dec. 25. 1735.
iii. JAMES VIALL, born Aug. 31, 1741.
iv. JOSIAH VIALL, born March 11, 1743.
v. CALEB VIALL, born May 17, 1747.
vi. SARAH VIALL, born June 13, 1755.
(Narragansett Hist. Register, Vol. 3, p. 179.)

4. Josiah Winchester, born Oct. 17; baptized Oct. 18, 1719; died June 5, 1720.
5. Nathaniel Winchester, born April 27, 1721; baptized July 2, 1721, by Rev. James Allen. (Town Parish Records; also from old Record Books in office of Town Clerk in Town Hall, Brookline, dates of birth of children of Josiah and Sarah (Seaver) Winchester are given.)

Suffolk Probate Files, No. 4949:

Josiah Winchester, late of Brookline, housewright, Aug. 24, 1724. Widow Sarah app. admx.

Dec. 1732. The estate being incapable of division, a commission of three appointed to divide it.

March 21, 1732-3. Court confirmed decree of commission by awarding the whole estate to the eldest son Caleb, subject to the life dower of his mother Sarah Viall. Caleb to pay £129, 10 each, to brother Nathaniel and sister Sarah.

Suffolk Probate Files, Nos. 5590, 5595, 5596, give the following facts:

That Caleb Winchester, aged about 19, son of Josiah Winchester; Nathaniel Winchester, aged about 7, son of Josiah Winchester, and Sarah Winchester, aged about 15, daughter of Josiah Winchester, late of Brookline, had each a guardian appointed March 18, 1727-8. The appointment of Sarah's guardian, although no date is given, is placed between the other two on the Records. The guardians appointed were: James Shed of Roxbury; Nathaniel Craft of Roxbury, and Edward Bridge of Roxbury.

Caleb Winchester married, 1761, Anna Smith.

From Marlboro, Mass., Records, History and Vital Statistics and Epitaphs, 472, the following:

CHILDREN OF CALEB AND ANNA (SMITH) WINCHESTER.

1. Rufus Winchester, born Nov. 12, 1762; died Nov. 15, 1770.
2. Mary Winchester, born Nov. 12, 1765-6; died Jan. 21, 1776.
3. Caleb Winchester, born Oct. 5, 1771.
4. Rufus Winchester, born March 8, 1774; died Jan. 21, 1776.
5. Stephen Winchester, born Jan. 11, 1777.
6. Samuel Winchester, born Oct. 10, 1778; married in 1811, Sarah Farwell and remained in Marlboro; had ten or twelve children.
7. William Winchester, born Jan. 31, 1783.

I think the above Caleb Winchester must be the son of Caleb Winchester (the son of Josiah and Sarah (Seaver) Winchester), who died Dec., 1736, his wife expecting a child. If born in 1736-7 he would have been 24 or 25 years old when he married Anna Smith in 1761.

MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Mary Winchester, daughter of Josiah and Mary (Lyon) Winchester, baptized Sept. 20, 1685. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 139.) She was married, June 4, 1713, to Caleb Hovey of Cambridge by Capt. John Chandler, Justice of the Peace, of Woodstock.

Caleb Hovey, son of Joseph and Hannah (Pratt) Hovey, was born in 1687; he was the grandson of Daniel Hovey, who was in Ipswich in 1637, and who married Rebecca ——. He died at Newton, and his son Caleb was appointed administrator, Feb. 3, 1745. (History of Cambridge, by Rev. Lucius R. Paige, pp. 589, 590.)

(*Gen. IV*) children of caleb and mary (winchester) hovey.

1. Mary Hovey, born April 11, 1714.
2. Abigail Hovey, born April 20, 1716.
3. Caleb Hovey, born Dec. 21, 1717.
4. Esther Hovey, born June 10, 1720.
5. Sarah Hovey, born May 21, 1722.
6. Josiah Hovey, born May 4, 1724.

AMARIAH WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Amariah Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]), baptized April 8, 1688; died after Jan., 1773, as at that date, he, with wife Sarah, appeared before a Justice of the Peace in Brookline and acknowledged a deed, dated May 3, 1718. He probably died in Connecticut. He was married by Samuel Sewall, Dec. 15, 1714, in Boston, Mass., to Sarah Seaver, born Feb. 4, 1696, the daughter of John and Sarah Seaver. (Roxbury Church Records, p. 142.)

John Seaver, the son of Nathaniel Seaver, baptized Jan. 8, 1645; slain at Sudbury by Indians April 21, 1676; married Sarah ——. Nathaniel Seaver, the son of Robert Seaver, born about 1608, sailed for New England 1633-4; married at Roxbury, Dec. 10, 1634, Elizabeth, a relative of William Ballard. She died Jan. 6, 1657. He died May 13, 1683. Caleb Seaver, their son, born Aug. 30, 1641; died Jan. 28, 1729-30; married Sarah Ingoldsby. (Seaver Family, pp. 1, 3, 4, 9.)

Jan., 1716. Amariah Winchester and Sarah Winchester "owned ye covenant." (Roxbury Church Records, p. 144.)

Amariah Winchester must have been a man of some education as, Dec. 29, 1718, the Selectmen "agreed with Amariah Winchester to keep the Center School in Brooklyn three months beginning on the sd. 29 of Dec. for seven pounds & four shillings."

March 5, 1722, he was chosen Constable. (Printed Brookline Records.)

The Suffolk Deeds, 1639-1800, contain the name of Amariah Winchester only three times as a grantor and four times as a grantee. Three references under grantors: dated Feb. 3, 1731, April 7, 1734, and deed dated May 3, 1718, signed, sealed and delivered June 17, 1718, recorded 1773, Jan. 20. In this last deed he is called "of Brookline, husbandman" and has a wife Sarah, and calls the first parcel of land "His dwelling and barn in Roxbury with 29 acres of land." On Jan. 20, 1773, Amariah and Sarah again appeared before a Justice and acknowledged this deed.

This last fact proves that Amariah Winchester and his wife Sarah were living in Jan., 1773.

Amariah Winchester appears four times as a grantee: First, discharge of mortgage from Province of Massachusetts Bay by Treasurer. Again, 1716, May 19, from Jacob Newell; 1719, June 27, from Philip Torry to Amariah Winchester et al.; 1720, May 6, from Josiah Winchester, Sr., and wife Mary.

Amariah's father, Josiah Winchester, died in 1728, and the only piece of real estate granted by his father before 1728 was the seven acres of creek land granted in 1720 to Amariah

and his brother Elhanan jointly. (Suffolk Deeds, Book 34, p. 204.)

Amariah sold his estate in Roxbury to John Bowen in June, 1718, for £395.

"June 1739. Amariah Winchester with his wife and children warned to depart out of the town of Brooklyn." (Brookline Printed Records, p. 649.)

It was the common custom of New England towns to serve a legal notice called "a warning" on all persons who moved into a town from somewhere else, or came for a visit, or, I presume, wished to move to some other town.

Whether Amariah Winchester left Brookline with his family previous to 1739, or after that date, is not known, but his son Amariah Winchester was living in Brooklyn (then Montlake), Conn., in 1742, where he married, Jan. 15, 1742, Hannah Cady, born in Pomfret, Conn., the daughter of Ezekiel and Abigail (Cady) Cady. (Early Connecticut Marriages, by Rev. Frederic W. Bailey, Vol. I, p. 35; also Cady Genealogy.) It seems probable that the elder Amariah Winchester had settled in Connecticut by that time.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF AMARIAH AND SARAH (SEAVER) WINCHESTER.

1. HANNAH WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, Mass., Feb. 9, 1715; died Aug. 30, 1736; was married in Boston by Rev. Samuel Checkley, March 24, 1731, to Timothy Harris, son of Timothy and Abigail (Morey) Harris. He was born April 28, 1706. Timothy Harris married (2), Jan. 1, 1752, Elizabeth Stevens, and he died Nov. 7, 1772.

CHILDREN OF TIMOTHY AND HANNAH (WINCHESTER) HARRIS.

i. TIMOTHY HARRIS, born Feb. 20, 1733; died July 30, 1760.
ii. AMARIAH HARRIS, baptized Feb. 23, 1735; died Sept. 22, 1736.
iii. AMARIAH HARRIS, born Aug. 24, 1736; married Elizabeth Lymfield. (From Robert Harris and His Descendants, by L. M. Harris.)

2. AMARIAH WINCHESTER, born in Roxbury, Mass., July 27, 1717; was married by Rev. Ephraim Avery, Jan. 15, 1742, to Hannah, daughter of Ezekiel and Abigail (Cady) Cady. She was born in Pomfret, Conn., April 9, 1724. Amariah Winchester

was living in Brooklyn (then Montlake), Conn., when he married Hannah Cady in 1742. (Early Connecticut Marriages, by Rev. Frederic W. Bailey, Vol. I, p. 35; also Cady Genealogy, p. 34, but the latter gives date of marriage as 1744.) Amariah Winchester was in the French War, 1758, from Connecticut. He served from April 11 to Sept. 4, 1758 (name of town not given) under Capt. Jedediah Fay of Ashford, Third Regiment, Connecticut troops. (Connecticut Campaigns of 1758-1764.)

3. Andrew Winchester. born Feb. 4; baptized March 3, 1723; married Joanna, daughter of Ebenezer Williams of New London. He died May 18, 1793.
4. Lucy Winchester, born May 2, 1727.
5. Sarah Winchester, baptized April 17, 1730.
6. James Winchester, baptized Sept. 30, 1733; married, March 15, 1757, Anna Longbottom. (Early Connecticut Marriages, by Frederic W. Bailey, Vol. 5, p. 85.)

(For births of Amariah Winchester's children see Brookline Town Records, and Brookline Historical Publication Society, in 1897-8, Pub. 8.)

ANDREW WINCHESTER.

From Andrew Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2], *Amariah*[3]) descends Edgar Clinton Winchester of South Windham, Conn. Andrew Winchester, baptized March 3, 1723; married Joanna Williams, daughter of Ebenezer Williams of New London, Conn. (no date). He died May 18, 1793.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

1. Andrew Winchester, born Oct. 16, 1750. History of Pawlet, Vt., gives: "Andrew Winchester resident of that town, age 66 in 1827; says he came from New Lebanon, Conn., and settled in Pawlet in 1786." This refers undoubtedly to Andrew Win,-chester, born in 1750, but in 1827 he was 77 years old, not 66 as given above. A book entitled "Heads of Families in Connecticut," in 1790 gives: Andrew Winchester in Canterbury; Amaj'h Winchester in Wallingford; Amaziah Winchester in New London County.
2. Amariah Winchester, born Feb. 13, 1753. From Early Connecticut Marriages, by Rev. Frederic W. Bailey of New Haven, Vol. VI, p. 88, Norwich-Lisbon: April 25, 1781, Amaziah Winchester—Mary Hatch.
3. Richard Winchester, born Feb. 13, 1755. From Early Connecticut Marriages, by Rev. Frederic W. Bailey of New Haven, Vol. VI, p. 88, Norwich-Lisbon: Nov. 17, 1778, Richard Winchester—Lydia Dodge.

4. David Winchester, born Aug. 22, 1757.
5. Lucy Winchester, born Aug. 21, 1760.
6. James Winchester, born Feb. 2, 1762.
7. Sarah Winchester, born April 26, 1765.
8. Joel Winchester, born May 3, 1767.
9. Delight Winchester, born March 23, 1769.
10. Joanna Winchester, born Oct. 1, 1771.

The lineage of Edgar Clinton Winchester of South Windham, Conn., was sent to Mrs. Justus S. Hotchkiss in 1898 by Mr. Winchester himself.

JOEL WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Joel Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2], *Amariah*[3], *Andrew*[4]), born May 3, 1767; married Mary Gifford, June 1, 1794.

(*Gen. VI*) children.

1. Joanna Winchester, born March 19, 1795.
2. John Winchester, born July 17, 1796.
3. James Winchester, born Dec. 16, 1797.
4. Loring Winchester, born Oct. 16, 1799.
5. Harvey Winchester, born Aug. 23, 1801.
6. Asa Winchester, born Oct. 29, 1803.
7. Susan Winchester, born Dec. 16, 1805.
8. Abel Winchester, born Aug. 15, 1809.
9. Mary Winchester, born May 28, 1811.

HARVEY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. VI*) Harvey Winchester[6] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2], *Amariah*[3], *Andrew*[4], *Joel*[5]), born Aug. 23, 1801; married Emily Smith, daughter of Joshua and Anne Smith, Oct. 10, 1836.

(*Gen. VII*) children.

1. Arthur S. Winchester, born May 23, 1838.
2. Edgar Clinton Winchester of South Windham, Conn., born Sept. 6, 1847.

ELHANAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. III*) Elhanan Winchester[3] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2]) was born March 14, 1691-2. He was married to Mary Taylor

of Boston, Mass., Oct. 1, 1713, by Rev. Cotton Mather. (Boston Marriages 1700-1751.)

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

1. ELHANAN WINCHESTER, born in 1719. (Jackson's Newton.)
2. ISAAC WINCHESTER, born in Brookline, Oct. 19, 1721; died at Tewksbury, Mass., between 1740 and 1747; married Deborah —— (full name and date not known.) They had one child:
   i. LEMUEL WINCHESTER, born in Tewksbury, May 13, 1740; died at Amherst, N. H., Jan. 17, 1841, aged 101 years.

   After the death of Isaac Winchester, his widow married again: Deborah Winchester of Brookline to Jerathmiel Wheeler, married in Roxbury, Feb. 2, 1747. (Facts given to Mr. Cunningham in 1910 by a descendant, Rev. William F. Cheney, East Dedham, Mass.)
3. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, baptized Aug. 9, 1724; died Aug. 20, 1787. (First Parish Church Records of Brookline, Mass.)
4. SARAH WINCHESTER, baptized April 2, 1727.
5. JOSIAH WINCHESTER, baptized April 28, 1729.
6. DANIEL WINCHESTER, baptized Feb. 18, 1733; died Oct. 4, 1797.
7. MOSES WINCHESTER, baptized Oct. 9, 1737; married, Oct. 25, 1757, to Mary Ames. (Roxbury City Books, p. 156.)

DANIEL WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) DANIEL WINCHESTER, baptized Feb. 18, 1733.

Capt. Daniel Winchester came here from Roxbury about 1758, and died here Oct. 4, 1797, aged 64; therefore born about 1733; childless; was delegate from South Brimfield to Provincial Congress, assembled at Salem, Oct. 7, 1774; twice member of State Legislature. Benjamin, a nephew, resided here twenty-five years; became a Shaker. (History of Wales, Mass., p. 21.)

The above undoubtedly refers to Daniel, fourth son of Elhanan and Mary (Taylor) Winchester; he was baptized Feb. 18, 1733 (First Parish Records of Brookline, Mass.), and if he died in 1797 he would have been 64 years old at his death. He also had a nephew Benjamin, born Jan. 5, 1760, the son of his brother, Deacon Elhanan Winchester, who, in his old age, also joined the Shakers at Harvard.

DEACON ELHANAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) Deacon Elhanan Winchester[4] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2], *Elhanan*[3]), born Feb. 29, 1720 (N. E. Gen. Register, 1907, p. 342); died at Harvard, Mass., Sept. 20, 1810, aged 90. Married probably three times. First to Sarah —— (Jackson Newton, p. 502). Elhanan Winchester, wife Lydia, sold land in Natick 1763; Elhanan, wife Lydia of Littleton, Mass., 1797 (East Cambridge Deeds, Vol. 62, p. 394, Vol. 126, p. 8). Lydia Winchester, born Aug. 15, 1734, died at Harvard, Mass., Feb. 3, 1820, aged 95 years. (N. E. Gen. Register, 1907, p. 342.)

Elhanan Winchester owned a small farm in Brookline and brought up a large family on very small means, but his economy and patriotism must have been largely developed, as he loaned to the town of Newton $300 to pay the soldiers, in March, 1777. He became a Baptist and with his eldest son, Elhanan, laid the foundations of the First Baptist Church in Newton, but when the Rev. Elhanan Winchester embraced the doctrine of Universal Restoration his father and family followed him in his new views and were all disowned and cast out from the church they had worked so zealously to establish. After having been successively a Congregationalist, New Light Baptist and Restorationist, Deacon Elhanan Winchester joined the Shakers at Harvard, where he died in 1810, aged 90.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF DEACON ELHANAN WINCHESTER.

1. Elhanan Winchester, born Sept. 19, 1751; died April 18, 1797.
2. David Winchester, born Aug. 13, 1756 (twin).
3. Jonathan Winchester, born Aug. 13, 1756 (twin), in Corinth, Vt. Jonathan Winchester, long a resident of Westmoreland, Cheshire County, N. H.; died there at the age of 80 years. (Orange County, Vt., p. 260.) Had sons:
   - i. Daniel Winchester, Christian minister.
   - ii. Elhanan Winchester.
   - iii. Jonathan Winchester.
   - iv. Salmon (or Solomon), a Methodist minister, in 1820 was of the Vershire Circuit. (Orange County, Vt., Gazeteer,

p. 260.) He was born at Westmoreland, N. H., in 1785, and died at Stratford, Vt., March, 1821, aged 36 years. (Orange County, Vermont, p. 260.) He married Lucinda Hancock at Westmoreland.

4. Silas Winchester, born in Brookline, Mass., Sept. 5, 1758; resided at Wrentham, Mass.; removed to Holden, Mass.; died Sept. 30, 1838; married, May 1, 1783, Sally, daughter of Samuel King of Wrentham. She was born Nov. 11, 1761, and died July 10, 1846.

CHILDREN.

i. Achsah Winchester, born in Wrentham, July 21, 1784.
ii. Benjamin Winchester, born in Wrentham, May 10, 1786.
iii. Polly Winchester, born in Orrington, Oct. 31, 1788.
iv. Charles Winchester, born in Orrington, May 3, 1790.
v. Samuel King Winchester, born Jan. 30, 1793.
vi. Polly Winchester, born Feb. 22, 1795.
vii. Sophia Winchester, born May 31, 1796.
viii. Phebe Stowell Winchester, born Jan. 13, 1801.
ix. Thomas J. Winchester, born Sept. 27, 1802.
x. Silas Winchester, born Nov. 8, 1805.
(Winchester, Bangor Historical Magazine, Vol. 3, p. 76.)

5. Benjamin Winchester, born Jan. 5, 1760; died at Harvard, Mass., Aug. 24, 1845. (N. E. Register, Vol. I, 1907, p. 344.)

6. Sarah Winchester, born 1762; married Nov. 2, 1788, Thomas Hammond, born Nov. 12, 1744, the son of Joseph and Mary Hammond of Newton, Mass. With her parents, they joined the Shakers at Harvard, about 1809. He died 1824. (Jackson's Newton and Hammond Genealogy.)

CHILDREN.

i. Joseph Hammond, born June 23, 1789.
ii. Thomas Hammond, born Aug. 8, 1791.
iii. Sarah Hammond, born Nov. 30, 1793.
iv. Mary Hammond, born Sept. 22, 1795.
v. Lucy Hammond, born July 2, 1797.
vi. Moses Winchester Hammond, born June 6, 1799.
vii. Elhanan Winchester Hammond, born May 6, 1802.
viii. Benjamin Franlin Hammond, born Oct., 1803.
ix. Charles Hammond, born June 22, 1805 (twin).
x. Sarah Winchester Hammond, born June 22, 1805 (twin).

7. Moses Winchester, born 1763; died Feb. 17, 1793. Rev. Moses Winchester commenced preaching Universalism in 1784; labored in the field of His Master until he died of a cancer. (From Universalist Magazine.)

8 Aaron Winchester, born 1766.

9. Daniel Winchester, born 1769. Daniel Winchester married, Sept. 9, 1787, to Martha Prichard by Rev. Samuel Parker. (Boston Marriages, 1751-1800, p. 112.)
10. Elizabeth Winchester, born about 1770. (Parish Church Records.)
11. Mary Winchester.
12. Phebe Winchester.
13. Lydia Winchester.
14. Lois Winchester.

REV. ELHANAN WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. V*) Rev. Elhanan Winchester[5] (*John*[1], *Josiah*[2], *Elhanan*[3], *Deacon Elhanan*[4]), eldest son of Deacon Elhanan Winchester and his first wife Sarah ——, born in Brookline, Mass., Sept. 30, 1751; died at Hartford, Conn., April 18, 1797, aged 46. A strange fatality attended his matrimonial connections, making him, at the age of 32, a widower for the fourth time. He had a number of children, but none are mentioned as having survived him. He was married five times: (1st) to Alice Rogers of Rowley, Mass., Jan. 18, 1770; she died in 1776. (Boston Marriage Intentions.) (2d) To Sarah Peck of Rehoboth in 1776; she died in 1777. (3d) To Sarah Luke of South Carolina in 1778; she died in 1779. (4th) To the widow Mary Morgan in 1781; she died in 1783. (5th) To Maria Knowles about 1784, who survived him. (*Universalist Magazine*, 1825.)

Rev. Elhanan Winchester was a remarkably eloquent and successful preacher, a man of high moral character, with great confidence in God; his piety, cheerful serenity, great benevolence and charity were recognized by all. His opportunities for education were small, but from a child he read with avidity all books that came in his way and had a wonderful memory, often astonishing his instructors by the rapidity of his acquirements. He began preaching in 1770, in his nineteenth year, was baptized and admitted to the Baptist Church in Canterbury, Conn., in 1771, then a believer in open communion. He was ordained over a small church in Rehoboth, Mass., where his youth, extraordinary memory, eloquence and zeal drew mul-

titudes to his meetings. Having changed his views in regard to the communion, he left the church at Rehoboth and joined the Baptist Church in Bellingham. In 1774 he preached at the Baptist Church at Welch Neck, S. C. While still the pastor of that church he supplied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church in Boston in 1776, during the absence of their pastor, the Rev. Dr. Stillman. In 1780 we find him in Philadelphia, where much excitement was produced by his labors and large additions were made to the church. It was while at Philadelphia, when about thirty years old, that Mr. Winchester embraced the doctrine of Universal Salvation, but notwithstanding this change nearly half of his congregation followed him, and, with him, were excommunicated from the Baptist Church. Among those who befriended him and stood by him at this trying period were Dr. Redman and the celebrated Dr. Rush. He remained in Philadelphia about six years, then, leaving his parish to the care of his brother Moses, he went to England, returning to Boston in July, 1794. While in England he preached in London, and visited Chatham, Birmingham, Wisbeach, Fleet, and preached in nearly all the meeting-houses of the General Baptists in the county of Kent. From "Our London Letter" at p. 172, in the *Unitarian Magazine* for April, 1894, the following:

"The South Place Society, Finsbury (London), is one of the links between England and America. The congregation owes its origin to the apostolic enthusiasm of an American,—and an American set on fire with the love of God. The founder of the Society was Elhanan Winchester, born near Boston in 1751. . . . He carried to the combat one brief text, 'God is love.' With the divine love his heart was aflame, his brain inspired and he went through his own country, and then through England, publishing the New Gospel, that all mankind would be ultimately saved. And yet this man was at first a preacher of the straightest sect of Calvinists. Winchester was, before his time, a prophet who prepared the way for Channing, Emerson and Theodore Parker in America, and for William Johnson Fox in England."

After his return from Europe, July 12, 1794, Mr. Winchester preached constantly in New England; then again traveled extensively, particularly in the South, preaching for his old parishioners at Philadelphia, but his constitution was

broken, and severe attacks of asthma foretold a fatal termination. We next find him in Hartford, Conn., where he preached until Sunday, April 1, 1797, when he delivered a sermon, under a strong impression that it was his last, from St. Paul's farewell address to the Ephesian Church. He never entered his pulpit again, but died in Hartford, April 18, 1797, aged 46 years, and was buried in the old Hartford Cemetery, in the rear of the First Congregational Church of that city.

Rev. Dr. Strong of the First Congregational Church preached his funeral sermon, and a large number of friends followed him to the grave.

(From Jackson's History of Newton, from Historical Sketches of Brookline, by Harriet H. Woods, from *Universalist Magazine* of May, 1825, and from the same magazine for April, 1894.)

PART FOURTH

CHAPTER I

Kent Island, Maryland.

John Winchester, Sr.

John Winchester, Jr.

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Isaac Winchester.

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Deed in Regard to "Purlevant" on Kent Island.

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Children of Jacob and Mary (Ridout) Winchester.

Lineage of Rev. James Ridout Winchester, Rector of the Church of the Ascension at St. Louis, Mo., in 1901.

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Miscellaneous Facts of the Winchester Family of Maryland from Deeds.

CHAPTER I

THE WINCHESTERS OF OLD KENT, MD.
JOHN WINCHESTER, SR.
JOHN WINCHESTER, JR., AND OTHERS.

The greater part of the following facts and deeds were sent to Mrs. Justus Street Hotchkiss in 1902 by Madison Brown, Attorney-at-Law, Centreville, Md., who examined the records of Kent County, Md., from 1650 to 1835 for deeds made by and to persons by the name of Winchester, and also the Maryland Calendar of Wills, and made abstracts from all deeds so found, and certified that he had thus examined the records of Kent County from 1650 to 1835. Other facts are found in the History of Maryland, by J. Thomas Scharf, 1879, or in Old Kent, by George A. Hanson, M.A., 1876.

History of Maryland, by J. Thomas Scharf, Baltimore, 1879, Vol. I, p. 137, Some Facts relating to Kent Island:

This island was occupied by Captain William Claiborne about the year 1629. The island at this time was inhabited by the Matapeake Indians, whose village was situated on the southeast side of the island. The site of this village was included in a track of one hundred acres, surveyed for Henry Morgan in 1650, and sold by him the following year to Edward Coppedge, in whose family it remained for several generations.

With regard to Claiborne's station, Mr. Davis says: "The seat of Clayborne's settlement was at Kent Point. There also was the 'Mill,' several of which (that is, windmills) can still be seen. There is not a single waterfall upon the island, and the records mention the 'vane' and other things, which prove that wind was the motive power. Near the 'Mill,' was Fort Kent. Fort Crayford stood near Craney Creek, now a pond, and is frequently noticed upon the old records of Chestertown. . . . Kent Fort Manor included Kent Mill and Kent Fort. It was given by the proprietary to Governor Calvert, as a reward for his services in the conquest of the island; but assigned to Capt. Giles Brent, whose family for many generations held the title."

There was also a court house upon the island, the first on the east side of the Chesapeake. "The Virginians," said Chalmers, "boasted with their wonted pride, that the colonists of Kent sent burgesses to their Assembly,

and were subjected to their jurisdiction, before Maryland had a name." And in fact the records show that in 1631-2 the island was represented by Captain Nicholas Martin.

P. 47. The above island of Kent was the cause of much dissension between Caecilius Calvert, the second Lord Baltimore, who obtained from the King of England the charter of Maryland and Capt. William Claiborne, who went to Kent Island in 1629. Lord Baltimore arrived at Jamestown, Virginia, October first, 1629.

P. 115. The petition of Captain William Claiborne on the behalf of himself and partners, to the King, shewing: "That the petitioners by virtue of a commission under his Majesty's hand, etc., divers years past discovered and did then plant upon an island in the great bay of Chesapeake in Virginia, by them named the isle of Kent, which they bought of the kings of that country, and built houses, transported cattle and settled people thereon to their great costs and charges, which the Lord Baltimore taking notice thereof, and the great hopes for trade of beavers and other commodities like to ensue by the petitioners' discoveries, hath since obtained a patent from your Majesty comprehending the said island, within the limits thereof, and sought thereby to dispossess the petitioners thereof and debar them of their discovery, etc. . . ."

The above petition would appear to have been presented on or about the 26th of February, 1637 (old style), 1638 (new style).

It seems the controversy was settled in favor of Lord Baltimore, for at p. 117 we read:

"The said isle of Kent is within the bounds and limits of the Lord Baltimore's patent, and that the said Captain Claiborne's commission (as it likewise appeared) was only a license, under the signet of Scotland, to trade with the Indians of America, in such places, where the said trade had not formerly been granted by his Majesty; which commission their lordships declared did not extend, nor give any warrant to the said Claiborne, or any other, nor had they any right or title thereby to the said island of Kent, or to plant or trade there, or in any other parts or places with the Indians or savages within the precincts of the Lord Baltimore's patent, etc."

THE WINCHESTERS OF OLD KENT.

Among the earliest settlers of Kent Island, after that island was declared within the patent of Lord Baltimore, at Whitehall, April 4, 1638, thus becoming a part of Maryland, we find the name of John Winchester, the earliest mention of him being in 1647-8, when he styles himself "Cordwainer" and of the Isle of Kent. (Old Kent, by George A. Hanson, M.A., at page 16.) Again we trace him in 1649-50, when is granted to him, on payment of a certain sum to Caecilius, Lord Baron of Balti-

more, a parcel of land called "Winchester," on east side of Chesapeake Bay, near east end of Isle of Kent, etc., and in this patent he is called "John Winchester of this province, Planter, to whom is due 250 acres of land upon terms and conditions of Plantation of our said Province of Maryland under our greater seal at London, 2 July, 1649," etc. (From abstracts of deeds, etc., taken from records of Kent County, State of Maryland, given by and to persons by name of Winchester from 1650 to 1835.)

From the above early period the name of Winchester is constantly found upon the records of Old Kent. Unfortunately many of these records have been destroyed, but from him undoubtedly descends at least one branch of the Winchester family of Maryland. Although I have not succeeded in tracing the exact link that connects John Winchester with any southern Winchester, whose lineage I have followed, yet the facts obtained are so valuable I give them in this pamphlet, feeling that at some future day they may form a nucleus for some person desiring to prepare a complete Winchester genealogy.

NOTES ON WINCHESTER FAMILY OF MARYLAND.

Among others:

John Winchester. Will of William Jones, Kent Island. By this will John Winchester is bequeathed personalty.

John Winchester. Will of Thomas Peets. Date Mar. 1, 1653. By this will the children of John Winchester are bequeathed personalty and he is named executor. (From Families of Old Kent, Maryland, by George A. Hanson, M.A., p. 60, Sec. 36.)

Upon folio 42 is recorded the following important document and an interesting list of names:

We, whose names are hereafter subscribed, do promise and engage ourselves to be true and faithful to the Commonwealth of England, without King or House of Lords.

Isle of Kent, 5th of April, 1652.

Among the sixty-six names signed is that of John Winchester.

P. 107. John Russell and John Winchester at a Court holden for the county, were witnesses of a bill, binding Robert Gammar of the Isle of Kent, Planter, to pay to Anthony Calloway, etc., a certain amount of merchantable tobacco in leaf, with casks. Robert Gamer signed said bill. 16 July, 1655.

P. 109. Among births 1656, Moneth 2, Day 23, John Winchester's daughter.

It seems probable that this child was the daughter of John Winchester, 2d.

P. 206. The Court doth order that John Winchester and John Elis shall make a legal appraisement of the estate of Edward Tarrent, deceased.

John Winchester referred to in the above extracts, beginning in 1647-8, is probably John Winchester, Sr.

P. 220, Sec. 90. Among the jury women: At a Court held the 13th of October, 1668, Elizabeth Winchester.

From Maryland Calendar of Wills, Vol. 1, p. 16:

John Russell of Kent Island, Jan. 7, 1660, leaves to goddaughter Mary Winchester.

This was undoubtedly the daughter born in 1656, probably the child of John Winchester, Jr.

P. 203. The deposition of John Winchester, aged 29 yeares or thereabouts, sworne Examined & saith. Taken 11d 1st, 1655.

P. 209. Deposition of Margaret Winchester, aged 25 yeares or thereabouts, Feb. 1, 1655.

From abstracts of deeds and records of Kent County, State of Maryland, given by and to persons by name of Winchester from 1650 to 1835. Copied by Madison Brown, Attorney-at-Law, Centreville, Md.:

Libro A, fol. 7. 6 Feb. 1652. John Winchester, of Isle of Kent, in province of Maryland, conveys to Francis Barnes of Severn, in same province, 100 acres, adjoining and part of a parcel of 250 acres, surveyed and taken up by said John Winchester, on southern side of said island, for term of 12 years, the said Barnes to plant an orchard of 20 apple trees, ten pear trees, 20 peach trees, 20 cherry trees, in year following, and to fence same, and to pay one and one half bushels of Indian corn yearly during said time, on or before 1 Dec. and not to fell any lumber trees except for building and making of casks to put crop of tobacco in.

Witnesses OLIVER SPOYE
WM. DRURY 12 Aug. 1650

This same deed is given in Families of Old Kent, Maryland.

Libro A, fol. 124. John Winchester, with consent of Elizabeth, his wife (the relict of Henry Stoope) and John Gibson convey to Andrew Elliott (Ellinor) the rest of the land mentioned in this patent, 1 Oct. 1652.

Witnesses: FRANCIS FINCH
TOBY WELLS

(The above copied from an endorsement on the original patent, I presume. Madison Brown, Attorney-at-Law.)

Lib. A, fol. 142. Memorandum. Cecilius Absolute Lord and Proprietor of Province of Maryland and Avalon, Lord Baron of Baltimore, to all persons, etc. In consideration that John Winchester of this province, Planter, hath due to him 250 acres of land upon terms and conditions of Plantation of our said Province of Maryland under our greater seal at London, 2 July, 1649, with such alterations as therein made by our declaration of 26 August, 1650, do grant to said John Winchester a parcel of land called Winchester on east side of Chesapeake Bay near east end of Isle of Kent, called Wading Place, to be holden in free and common socage . . . yielding and paying therefor unto us . . . at St. Mary's at Feast of Annunciation of Blessed Virgin Mary and at Feast of St. Michael, the Arch Angell, by even and equal portions five shillings sterling in silver or gold, or the full value thereof in such commodity as we and our heirs, etc. . . . shall determine.

Given at St. Mary's under great seal 15 Feb. 1659.

JOSIAS FFENDALL, *Lieut. Gen.*

John Winchester, Sr. to John Winchester, his son, & Richard Stephens, his son-in-law, the above patent, John Winchester, Jr. to have the neck lying next to Wading Place and the remainder the said John Winchester, Jr. is to have in other neck.

Witnesses: JOHN SPUEDAUNCE, THOS. BRADLEY.

4 Feb. 1661. Agreement, that John Winchester, Sr., is to have the privilege to put live stock of hoggs and cattle upon said land not prejudicing the said John Winchester, Jr. and Richard Stephens.

Lib. A, fol. 145. John Winchester (by mark) assigns his interest in above patent to John Smith, 4 Jan. 1663. (Probably John W., Jr.)

Lib. A, fol. 150. John Winchester, by way of mortgage, in consideration of 60 lbs of Tobacco, and cask for same, conveys to Wm. Richards, his whole crop & both plantations upon Isle of Kent.

29 Nov. 1664. Witnesses: JOHN WRIGHT
TOBY WELLS, *Clerk.*

Lib. A, fol. 150. Indenture made 8 April, in first year of Dominion of Charles, Absolute Lord, and Anno Dom. 1671, between John Winchester, of the first part, and Edward Lowder of the second part, all of Kent County. John Winchester doth devise, grant and farmlet to Edward Lowder, all that messuage or tenement of land on Isle of Kent, commonly called "Rye's Plantation . . . from date for a full term of 99 years, rent

payable at feast of St. Michael, 1 ear of Indian corn or wheat, each year of the term, and 1500 lbs. of tobacco in cask, at 3 several payments, 500 on demand, 500 on 10 Oct. next, and 500 on 10 Oct. 1677.

Lib. B, fol. 268. 26 March, 1690, John Winchester conveys to Edward James, for 20,000 lbs. of tobacco, plantation [name blank] formerly laid out for John Winchester, Sr., on Isle of Kent, near Luff Point, in Kent Co.

Witnesses: Robert Smith, Matthew Eaveskron.

The above John Winchester, son of John, Sr., had probably a son John, who might have been the one spoken of in will of Susannah Winchester of Sept. 12, 1723. She must have been the widow of —— Rouse, when she married John Winchester, as she had two children by a first husband, both mentioned in will: Samuel Rouse and Ruth Rouse.

John Winchester in his will mentions daughter Elizabeth and Susannah and son John. Nov. 14, 1749—March 28, 1750, date of will.

From deeds, etc., which are likely to throw light on the Winchester Family from 1706 to 1806. (Sent in 1902 by Madison Brown, Attorney-at-Law, Centreville, Md.)

Will of Susannah Winchester:

Date 12 Sept., 1723. Pro. Aug. 20, 1724. Devises to her son, Samuel Rouse, her plantation, to go to him at 21 years of age, his father-in-law (meaning undoubtedly stepfather), John Winchester, to provide him with a year's schooling. Leaves her eldest daughter, Ruth Rouse, to Elizabeth Ball, until 18. Leaves her second daughter to Mary Weeks until 18.

Will of John Winchester:

Date 14 Nov., 1749.—28 Mar. 1750. Mentions his daughter Elizabeth & Susannah and son John. Richard Small to take care of John, if his wife be dead.

Witnesses: John Cotton, Henry Weeden.

JOHN WINCHESTER, SR., RESUMÉ.

From the records I infer:

That John Winchester, Sr., came to the Isle of Kent as early as 1647; probably earlier.

That he had a patent from Cecilius, Lord Baron of Baltimore, for 250 acres of land on east shore of Isle of Kent in 1649-50.

That in 1647 he was about 43 years old or older, therefore born about 1604; as in 1655 his son John Winchester makes a deposition that he is about 29 years old, consequently born about 1626.

That he had probably two children or more by his first wife, namely, John Winchester, Jr., and possibly the Margaret Winchester who, in 1655, says she is about 25 years old.

That Elizabeth Stoope, the relict of Henry Stoope, was probably his second wife.

That John Winchester leased to Francis Barnes of Kent Island land to be used for planting an orchard, Aug. 12, 1650.

That John Winchester signed his name April 5, 1652, to a document promising to be true and faithful to the Commonwealth of England without King or House of Lords.

That between 1650 and 1661 John Winchester, Sr., conveys to John Winchester, his son, and to Richard Stephens, his son-in-law, his rights to the land which he obtained by patent from Lord Baltimore in 1649-50.

That on Feb. 4, 1661, John Winchester, Sr., reserved the privilege of putting live stock on the above land.

That in Oct., 1652, with consent of his wife Elizabeth (the relict of Henry Stoope) John Winchester conveys land to Andrew Elliott (or Ellinor).

That in 1653 John Winchester is named executor of the will of Thomas Peets.

That in 1655 John Winchester and John Russell are witnesses of a bill binding Robert Gammar.

ISAAC WINCHESTER.

From abstracts of deeds, etc., taken from records of Kent County, State of Maryland, given by and to persons by name of Winchester, from 1650 to 1835.

Lib. A, fol. 300. Deed from John Brown of Ann Arundel County, Carpenter, to Isaac Winchester, of Kent, Cordwinder, conveying all the right, title and interest of said Browne, in tract called "perlevant" (perbavant) on west side of Isle of Kent, partly on Beaver Creek, containing 180 acres. Date of deed, 7 Aug. 1671.

Isaac Winchester, in 1676, is named executor of will of Richard Moore of Kent County. Date April 4, 1676; proved May 5, 1676. Therefore the above Isaac Winchester must have been at least of age in 1671, and the question arises, was he the son of John Winchester who, in 1647, is found on Kent Island and obtains in 1649-50 from Cecilius, Absolute Lord and Proprietor of Province of Maryland and Avalon, Lord Baron of Baltimore, a grant of land called "Winchester," of 250 acres on the east shore of Isle of Kent. John Winchester, in 1650, must have been at least 44 to 46 years old.

If Isaac was the son of John Winchester, Sr., he probably was born in England before the latter came to the Island of Kent, in 1647 or earlier; for in 1671-76 Isaac Winchester's deeds are those of a mature man; he buys land, is executor of a will, is named as a witness, etc., and finally is a commissioner in 1686.

The deeds I give below all seem to refer to the same Isaac Winchester, who owned "Purlevant," of which he obtained a deed in 1671.

Records of Kent County, sent to Mrs. Hotchkiss, Sept., 1902, by Madison Brown, Attorney-at-Law, Centreville, Md. Notes on Winchester Family of Maryland.

Isaac Winchester. Will of Mary Pine of Kent County, date Dec. 28, 1673; proved June 3, 1674. Bequest of part of personalty to Isaac Winchester.

Will of William Roberts, 1680. Isaac Winchester is named as a witness.

Will of Richard Moore of Kent County, date April 4, 1676; proved May 5, 1676. Isaac Winchester is named as executor.

From Old Kent, by George A. Hanson, M.A.:

P. 321, Sec. 109. At a Court holden for the County of Kent at the Towne of New Yarmouth the 22d day of June, By his Lordship's Commissioners 1686:

Present	Capt. Wm. Lawrence.	
	Mr. John Hinson	Mr. Isaac Winchester
	Mr. Wm. Frisby	Mr. Corn Comeggs
	Mr. Charles Tilden	Mr. Hans Hanson
	Mr. Christe Goodhand	Mr. Daniel Norist

From Chronicles of Baltimore:

P. 276. Isaac Winchester elected Justice of the Quorum for Talbot Co., 1694.

The above probably refers to the first Isaac Winchester.

Among wills:

Isaac Winchester. Will of Isaac Winchester 10 Aprill, 1721. He devises to Mary, his wife, all his property, and names her as executrix. Proved Feb. 1, 1723. Witnesses: Wm. Dudley, James Harring, John Wilson, James Rutter, Phinehas Wilson.

Again, from Kent County Deeds: Certificate of Valuation filed Aug. 4, 1716, by Robert Jones, Guardian to Isaac Winchester.

Appraisement of plantation having on same an old dwelling house, one very old tobacco house, annual rental value 600 lbs. tobacco, "my Lord's Rent considered." 20 April, 1716. Appraisers, Robert B. Blunt, Ed^{d} Lambleton.

The following is a deed referring to the tract of land on Kent Island called "Purlevant":

28 March, 1793. Jacob Winchester, of Kent Island, for 5 shillings consideration, conveys to Jacob Barnes, Tract called Purlevant, on Island of Kent, granted originally on 9th day of Dec. 1640, to a certain Richard Purlevant, for 180 acres; and tract called "Isaac's Addition," on said Island, originally on 22 March, 1682, granted to a certain Isaac Winchester, for 80 acres; which two parts together, with a quantity of vacant land, was by virtue of a special warrant of resurvey, granted unto Isaac Winchester on 16 June, 1755, reduced to one certain tract called Isaac's Addition corrected, 364 acres, as by patent of conformation of same, dated 17 Dec. 1756 appears.

Deed acknowledged by Anne, wife of said Jacob.

On 4 April, 1793, reconveyed by Jacob Barnes to Jacob Winchester.

The above proves that Jacob Winchester had married Anne ——.

From deeds, throwing light on Winchester Family, p. 1706 to 1806:

12 Dec., 1774, John Holdson conveys to Jacob Winchester, of Isle of Kent, Planter, tract called Hawkins' Pharsalia, in Q. A. Co. on west side of Tuckahoe Creek, 200 acres.

Probably same Jacob Winchester.

Therefore Isaac Winchester is mentioned in a deed from John Brown of Ann Arundel County, Aug. 7, 1671.

Is executor of will of Richard Moore of Kent County in 1676.

Is mentioned in will of Mary Pine, Kent County, in 1673.

Is a witness of the will of William Roberts in 1680.

Is one of his Lordship's Commissioners at a Court holden for the County of Kent, at the town of New Yarmouth, June 22, 1686.

Is elected Justice of the Quorum for Talbot County in 1694.

But whether he is the Isaac Winchester of whom a Certificate of Valuation for his plantation is given after his death in 1716, when he left a son Isaac to the care of Robert Jones, or the Isaac Winchester whose will is dated 1721, in which he devises to Mary, his wife, all his property, it is impossible to determine.

That the first Isaac Winchester purchased in 1671 and owned the estate called "Purlevant," on the west shore of Kent Island, is sure. That the estate continued in his family until it was sold by one of his descendants, one Jacob Winchester, about 1850; and this Jacob Winchester was the father of the Rev. James R. Winchester, who was Rector of the Church of the Ascension at St. Louis, Mo., in 1901.

JACOB WINCHESTER.

Will of Jacob Winchester of Kent Island mentions his sons Isaac and Jacob and his daughter Sarah. To child unborn he bequeaths personalty. Witnesses, Jos. Sudler, Andrew Price, J. Harvey. Date Nov. 29, 1744; proved Jan. 31, 1744.

The second administration account in the estate of Jacob Winchester is passed by William Havely, his wife executrix of Jacob Winchester, 1746. In this account there is an allowance "for money due from deceased's estate to estate of Ann Price, which the said deceased received in right of his wife, one of the executors of the said Ann, more than his share of the aforesaid Ann's estate, and paid by this accountant to Matthew

Griffith one of the executors, and Edward Brown, who intermarried with Rachel Griffith, executrix of John Griffith, who was one of the executors of the said Ann."

The above Jacob Winchester, deceased, may have been the father of Isaac Winchester, who married Mary, and grandfather of Jacob, born in 1752.

Aug. 4, 1770, Isaac Winchester and Mary, his wife, convey to Thomas and William Tolson part of the two tracts on Kent Island called Hog Pen Neck and Morgan's Enlargement, on Thicketty Creek and on Bay side of which said Isaac is seized in right of his wife.

Oct. 28, 1778, Mary Winchester, executrix of Isaac Winchester, passes her account, in which the representatives are named as: Mary, the widow; Mary, his daughter, the wife of William Charles Nevill (Neill or Nuitt); Jacob, his son, not named in the will.

Aug. 21, 1784, the account of Jacob Winchester, administrator of Mary Winchester. Distribution to following representatives: One-third to William Keet, who married Mary Winchester; one-third to Thomas Elliott; one-third to Jacob Winchester.

The above Jacob Winchester (not named in will), son of Isaac and Mary, is probably the one born Nov. 6, 1752; died Nov. 11, 1805; married Anne ——. The following deeds probably refer to him.

Dec. 12, 1774, John Holdson conveys to Jacob Winchester of Isle of Kent, Planter, tract called Hawkins Pharsalia, in Queen Ann County, on west side of Tuckahoe Creek, 200 acres.

March 28, 1793, Jacob Winchester of Kent Island, for five shillings consideration, conveys to Jacob Barnes tract called "Purlevant" on Island of Kent, granted originally on Dec. 9, 1640, to a certain Richard Purlevant for 180 acres; and tract called "Isaac's Addition," on said island, originally, on March 22, 1682, granted to a certain Isaac Winchester for 80 acres; which two parts, together with a quantity of vacant land, was by virtue of a special warrant of resurvey, granted unto Isaac Winchester on June 16, 1755, reduced to one certain tract

called "Isaac's Addition corrected," 364 acres, as by patent of conformation for same dated Dec. 17, 1756, appears.

Deed acknowledged by Anne, wife of said Jacob, on April 4, 1793; reconveyed by Jacob Barnes to Jacob Winchester. Jacob Winchester, wife Anne.

As there were two or more Jacob Winchesters of about the same period, it has been impossible to decide, beyond doubt, which one was the father of Isaac, who married Mary —— and whose son Jacob was born in 1752; died 1805; married Anne —— and was the great-grandfather of the Rev. James R. Winchester of St. Louis, Mo.

Jacob Winchester served as ensign under Captain Elliott, June 19, 1777. (Maryland Journal of Committee of Safety, p. 255.)

This may refer to the above Jacob Winchester.

From here the lineage was given to me by Rev. James R. Winchester, Rector of the Church of the Ascension, St. Louis, Mo.

Isaac Winchester, son of Jacob Winchester, born 1752; died 1805. Isaac was born Jan. 30, 1778; died Oct. 4, 1836. He was the eldest son and inherited the landed estate on Kent Island, owning two places, called "Shipping Creek" and "Perlevant" (his home). He married, Sept. 11, 1806, Ann Lambdin, daughter of Daniel and Mary Lambdin, born April 10, 1784. She died July 9, 1810, leaving two children: Jacob, born Feb. 27, 1808; Sarah Waters Harvey, who died in infancy.

Ann Lambdin was related to the Seths, Haddaways, and other families on the eastern shore.

Jacob Winchester, son of Isaac and Ann (Lambdin) Winchester, was born Feb. 27, 1808. He married Mary Ridout, daughter of Horace and Ann (Weems) Ridout of "Whitehall," the old colonial home near Annapolis, Md. She was one of ten children, all dead in 1902 excepting Eleanor Ridout, St. Margaret's, Anne Arundel County, Md.

CHILDREN OF JACOB AND MARY (RIDOUT) WINCHESTER.

1. ANN WEEMS WINCHESTER, married Samuel Ridout, M.D., of Annapolis. Both died in 1904.
2. PRUDENCE WINCHESTER, married Franklin Anderson Ridout of Roanoke, Va.
3. ISAAC WINCHESTER, born 1837; died 1860.
4. HORACE RIDOUT WINCHESTER, married Josephine Beeman of Hartford County, Md., at Annapolis, Md.
5. JOHN WINCHESTER, married; died leaving two children.
6. CARRIE C. WINCHESTER, married Dr. Samuel Grosvenor Thompson of Kent Island. They live near Lewisburg, Va.
7. SAMUEL WINCHESTER, died aged 13.
8. FRANK WINCHESTER, died in infancy.
9. JACOB WINCHESTER, died aged 27; married Rose Bodwen of Anne Arundel County, Md.
10. DR. WEEMS RIDOUT WINCHESTER, practicing medicine at Macon, Ga.; married Sallie P. Harrison of Lewisburg, Va.
11. FRANCIS OGLE WINCHESTER, died aged 44 years; married Ella Kent of Annapolis, Md.
12. JAMES RIDOUT WINCHESTER, Episcopal Clergyman at St. Louis, Mo.; married Eliza Atkinson.
13. THOMAS CHASE WINCHESTER, married Miss Thompson, Annapolis, Md.
14. ELEANOR RIDOUT WINCHESTER, died in infancy.

LINEAGE OF REV. JAMES RIDOUT WINCHESTER, HIS CHILDREN AND BROTHERS AND SISTERS.

REV. JAMES R. WINCHESTER, son of Jacob and Mary (Ridout) Winchester. Rector of the Church of the Ascension, Cates and Goodfellow avenues, St. Louis, Mo. (From Church Almanac for 1902.) He married ELIZA ATKINSON, daughter of Col. Richard Henry Lee and Evelyn Byrd Page. (See Lees of Virginia.) Married probably as early as 1878.

Mr. Winchester says: "My family is confined to Maryland, Kent Island, Maryland, having been their home for over one hundred years. My father, Jacob Winchester, sold there about 1850 and moved to the western shore. The Family Bible became mutiliated and records are gone, excepting the following, found elsewhere."

Mr. Winchester was settled over a parish in Nashville in June, 1892. In 1901 he was Rector of the Church of the Ascension at St. Louis, Mo., having left Nashville about 1898.

CHILDREN OF REV. JAMES R. AND ELIZA (ATKINSON) WINCHESTER.

1. Richard Henry Lee Winchester, born Aug. 23, 1879, in Uniontown, Alabama; died Sept. 23, 1879.
2. Lucy Langhorne Winchester, born April 4, 1882, in Clarke County, Va.
3. James Ridout Winchester, born Jan. 11, 1883, in Macon, Ga.; died Sept. 20, 1886, in Clarke County, Va.
4. Evelyn Lee Winchester, born July 28, 1885, in Macon, Ga.
5. Cassius Lee Winchester, born April 6, 1888, in Macon, Ga.
6. Florence Whiting Winchester, born Oct. 18, 1893, in Nashville, Tenn.

THE LINEAGE OF REV. JAMES R. WINCHESTER.

First generation on Kent Island.

Isaac Winchester bought land in 1671, so probably born as early as 1650; was a Commissioner in 1686.

The will of Isaac Winchester of April 10, 1721, in which he devises to Mary, his wife, all his property and names her his executrix, might possibly apply to the above.

Will of Jacob Winchester of Kent Island mentions sons Isaac and Jacob, and daughter Sarah, also to child unborn bequeathes personalty; his wife executrix; proved 1744. Second account given 1746.

The Isaac Winchester, wife Mary, mentioned in Rev. James R. Winchester's lineage might be the son of the above. In 1756 "Purlevant" given to him; his wife Mary executrix Oct. 28, 1778. Children, Mary and Jacob. Thus:

Jacob Winchester, will 1744.

Isaac Winchester, wife Mary. Their son,

Jacob Winchester, born 1752; died 1805; wife Anne.

Jacob Winchester, born 1808; married Mary Ridout. Sold "Purlevant," his estate on Kent Island, about 1850. Father of

Isaac Winchester, born 1778; died 1836; wife Ann Lambden.

Rev. James R. Winchester, who in 1902 settled at St. Louis, Mo.

From Isaac Winchester, wife Mary, the lineage is correct.

Stoneleigh, Northford County, Md. Mrs. Sally W. Williams.

Perlevant, sold by Jacob Winchester, father of Rev. James R. Winchester.

Mrs. Williams' grandfather was Samuel Winchester.

Samuel Winchester, born at Perlevant, Island of Kent, Had two sons, Alexander and Samuel.

MISCELLANEOUS FACTS.

THOMAS WINCHESTER, JACOB WINCHESTER.

From deeds, etc., likely to throw light on the Winchester Family of Maryland, 1706 to 1806.

26 July, 1784. John de Rochebonne, of Caroline Co., Maryland, Farmer, conveys to Thomas Winchester of Kent Island, Gentleman, all his right and estate in two tracts, one called Friendship Resurveyed, the other Joseph's Addition (which interest said John claims as a descendant of his grandfather, Joseph de Rochebonne) which tracts are in possession of said Thomas and claimed by him in right of his wife.

Wm. Whitcraft, Jr., and Ann, his wife, of Anne Arundel, convey all their interest in tract called Friendship Resurveyed, on Kent Island, also in Joseph's Addition.

1786. Inventory of Thomas Winchester, returned 25 Nov., 1786, by Jacob Winchester, his Adm., signed by Thomas Barnes, Jacob Winchester, as kin.

In 1778 to 1800 there seem to have been two Jacob Winchesters; one the son of Isaac, the other the lawful heir of Jacob Winchester, 3d, so probably his own son.

1788. Account of Thomas Winchester, passed 8 Mar., 1788, by Jacob Winchester, his Admr. Inventory passed 10 Sept., 1745, signed by John Winchester, S. Harvey, as kin.

1790, 8 January. Jacob Winchester to John Walters, Jr., all of Queen Ann's County. Jacob Winchester, being lawful heir of Jacob Winchester, 3d decd., late co-partners and joint trader with said Walters, conveys all the goods, chattels and estate of said Jacob Winchester 3d contracted for and bought by the said parties, said Walters to become answerable for all debts.

1793. Inventory of Jacob Winchester, passed June 1, 1793, returned by Thomas Winchester. Signed by Jacob Barnes, Jacob Winchester, as kin.

Jacob Winchester, whose will was proved in 1744, was the father of Isaac, who married Mary, and who had a son, Jacob, born in 1752. The above Jacob Winchester must have been married as early as 1720-23, as Isaac's son Jacob was born in 1752.

PART FOURTH

CHAPTER II

William Winchester.

Children of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester.

William and Mary (Parks) Winchester.

William and Henrietta (Cromwell) Winchester.

George and Jane C. (Nixon) Winchester.

Gen. James and Susan (Black) Winchester and their Children.

George Winchester.

Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester and their Children.

Benjamin and Carmélite (Constant) Winchester.

Amanda (Winchester) Hall.

William Chambers Winchester.

His Children by First Wife, Aimée Pédesclaux.

His Children by Second Wife, Mrs. Mary Thomas.

Hon. Boyd Winchester.

Married (1) Alice Peck.

Married (2) Lillian Bowles.

One Daughter by Second Wife, Lillian Bowles.

Lillian Winchester Married Louis Jones of New York City.

Stephen and Sally (Howard) Winchester.

Elizabeth Winchester.

Lydia Winchester.

David Winchester of Baltimore, Md.

CHAPTER II

SOUTHERN WINCHESTER LINEAGE OF WILLIAM WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. I*) William Winchester came of the Winchester family of London and Kent, England. He was born in that portion of London then known as Westminster on Dec. 22, 1710. He migrated to America, arriving at Annapolis, Md., March 6, 1729, in the ship *Hume;* Captain, Daniel Russell; William Black of London, owner.

He married, July 22, 1747, Lydia Richards, daughter of Edward Richards of Baltimore County, Md., born Aug. 4, 1727, in Baltimore County, Md.; she died at White Level, Feb. 19, 1809.

William Winchester was fairly educated. In America he was a surveyor, and laid out the town of Westminster, afterwards the city of Westminster, Md., which at that time was a part of his family seat, "White Level."

"White Level" consisted of about one thousand acres of well improved land. It was the original homestead of the family, situated in Carroll County, Md., adjoining the town of Westminster.

William Winchester was quite an extensive land owner, and in easy circumstances. His associations were with the best people of the town. He was a leading citizen and wielded great influence in the community of which he was a member.

Westminster is the county-seat of Carroll County, Md., and was founded by William Winchester in 1764, after whom it was called "Winchester," until the name was changed by act of Assembly to Westminster. The change was made because the place was then in Frederick County and a town by the same name was the county-seat of Frederick County, Va., which

then joined Frederick County, Md. It was incorporated in 1830, and erected into a city by an Act of Assembly dated Feb., 1850.

William Winchester espoused the cause of the colonies against the mother country, gave three sons to the Continental Army, and aid and comfort personally, as partly disclosed by the following historical facts:

Scharf's History of Maryland, Vol. 2, p. 174:

"At a meeting of the inhabitants of Frederic County, at the Court house on Tuesday, the 24th of January 1775, John Hanson, Esq., Chairman, Archibald Boyd, Clerk.

"The Association and Resolves of the American Congress, and the proceedings of the last Provincial Convention were read and unanimously approved."

Then followed the appointment of a large number of gentlemen, among them the Messrs. Charles Beatty, William Winchester, Basil Dorsey, and John Lawrence, to be a Committee of Observation, with full powers to prevent any infraction of the said association, and to carry the Resolves of the American Congress and of the Provincial Convention into execution; that any seventy-five of those gentlemen have power to act for the county, and any five in each of the larger districts be authorized to act in any matter that concerns such division only. This committee was to raise the county's proportion of $10,000, which the Provincial Congress appointed to be raised for the purchase of arms and ammunition.

I give also one of the Resolutions at a meeting held in Hartford County:

"*Resolved,* That we will join in an association with the other colonies to send relief to the poor and distressed inhabitants of Boston to enable them firmly to persevere in defence of the common cause."

For further details, see Scharf's History of Maryland, Vol. 2, pp. 164, 171-176.

William Winchester died Sept. 2, 1790, at his family seat, "White Level," adjoining the city of Westminster (now Carroll County, Md). His wife died Feb. 19, 1809. Both were buried in the old church yard at Westminster, Md., near the

church he had helped to build, and which was free to all denominations.

(Records from Lillian Winchester (Mrs. Louis Jones), daughter of Hon. Boyd Winchester of Louisville, Ky., and great-granddaughter of Richard Winchester. Other records from Col. Winchester Hall, grandson of Richard Winchester. And a chart of William Winchester's family, sent to me in 1904 by Mrs. Richard Person of Memphis, Tenn., a granddaughter of Gen. James Winchester.)

(*Gen. II*) CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND LYDIA (RICHARDS) WINCHESTER.

1. KATHERINE WINCHESTER, born Nov. 2, 1748; died Oct. 6, 1815; married Edward Hotchkiss.
2. WILLIAM WINCHESTER, born Dec. 1, 1750; died April 24, 1812; married Mary Parks.
3. JAMES WINCHESTER, born Feb. 6, 1752; died July 27, 1826; married Susan Black.
4. MARY WINCHESTER, born Oct. 17, 1755; died Oct. 31, 1799; married —— Roberts.
5. GEORGE WINCHESTER, born March 6, 1757; died July 9, 1794; unmarried.
6. RICHARD WINCHESTER, born April 7 or 17, 1759; died June 20, 1822; married Rebecca Lawrence. (Lillian Winchester's great-grandfather and grandfather of Col. Winchester Hall.)
7. STEPHEN WINCHESTER, born May 30, 1761; died April 17, 1815; married Sally Howard.
8. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER, born Aug. 19, 1763; died June 12, 1847; unmarried.
9. LYDIA WINCHESTER, born Dec. 27, 1766; died April 19, 1849; unmarried.
10. DAVID WINCHESTER, born April 10, 1769; died Jan. 13, 1835; unmarried.

(*Gen. II*) KATHERINE WINCHESTER, daughter of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, born Nov. 2, 1748; died Oct. 6, 1815; married EDWARD HOTCHKISS. There were several children by this marriage.

(*Gen. II*) WILLIAM WINCHESTER[2] (*William*[1]), born Dec. 1, 1750; died in Baltimore, Md., April 24, 1812; interred in St. Paul's Burying-ground, Baltimore, Md. Married, Oct. 30, 1771, MARY PARKS.

William Winchester was a leading merchant of Baltimore and a man of wealth. He was President of the Union Bank of that city from its organization until his decease.

From Dr. Thomas Edward Sears, Secretary of the Society of the Cincinnati of Maryland, the following: "William Winchester, Lieut. signed the 'Amended Constitution' about 1784. This is shown by the Maryland records of the Society of the Cincinnati," and refers to the above William Winchester, as he and his brothers James and George were officers of the Provincial Army.

Chronicles of Baltimore:

P. 276. Delegate to Assembly, 1794-5.

P. 280. Chosen elector of Senate for the city, 1796.

P. 295. In 1804, William Winchester chosen President of Union Bank of Maryland.

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND MARY (PARKS) WINCHESTER.

1. JAMES WINCHESTER, born 1772; died 1806. Judge U. S. Circuit Court at 28 years of age. Married a daughter of Samuel Owings, and died leaving two children.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. SAMUEL D. WINCHESTER.
ii. ANN WINCHESTER, married —— Willis.

2. LYDIA WINCHESTER, born 1774; died 1821; married —— Moore. They had one child.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. MARIA MOORE, married David Armour, Jr.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

a. WILLIAM ARMOUR.
b. LYDIA M. ARMOUR, who married George Jenkins of Jackson, Tenn.

3. MARY WINCHESTER, born 1775; died 1855; married David Armour of Tennessee.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. JAMES ARMOUR.
ii. JANET ARMOUR.

4. Sallie Winchester, born 1777; died 1805.
5. Katherine Winchester, born 1779; married —— Welling (or Wellman) of Baltimore.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. James Welling.
ii. William Welling.
iii. Henry Welling.
iv. —— Welling.

6. William Winchester of Baltimore, Md., born 1781; died 1864; married, May 5, 1814, Henrietta Cromwell, daughter of Capt. Thomas Cromwell of Huntington County, Pa.
7. George Winchester, born 1783; died 1784.
8. Rebecca Winchester, born 1785; died 1812; married James Campbell of Baltimore.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. J. Mason Campbell of Baltimore, Md.
ii. Mary Campbell, married —— Murdock, Jan. 29, 1835.

9. George Winchester of Baltimore, Md., born 1787; died 1840. Married (1st) Nancy Owings, daughter of Samuel Owings; married (2d) Mrs. Ridgley of Hampton, née Maria Campbell.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE.

i. William Winchester.
ii. Mary Winchester.
iii. Alexander Parks Winchester.
iv. J. Marshall Winchester.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE.

v. Elizabeth Winchester.

10. David Winchester, born 1789; died 1844; married Sallie Forney.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. Sarah Winchester.
ii. Burrill Winchester.
iii. William Winchester.
iv. George Winchester.

11. Charles Winchester, born 1795; died 1824; married Betsey Pannell.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

i. Lycurgus Winchester.
ii. Sarah Winchester.
iii. Mary Winchester.

12. Lycurgus Winchester, born 1797; died 1815.

LINEAGE OF WILLIAM WINCHESTER THROUGH HIS ELDEST SON.

The Lineage of William Winchester through his eldest son William, born 1750; married Mary Parks 1771; his grandson William, born 1781; married Henrietta Cromwell in 1814; and his great-grandson George, born July 14, 1818; married Jane C. Nixon.

(*Gen. III*) WILLIAM WINCHESTER[3] (*William*[1], *William*[2]), son of William and Mary (Parks) Winchester. Born 1781; died 1864; married, May 5, 1814, HENRIETTA CROMWELL, daughter of Capt. Thomas Cromwell of Huntington County, Pa.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN.

1. JOHN CROMWELL WINCHESTER.
2. JAMES WINCHESTER.
3. GEORGE WINCHESTER.
4. THOMAS C. WINCHESTER.
5. ANNE C. WINCHESTER.
6. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER.
7. TALBOT WINCHESTER.
8. WILLIAM WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) JOHN CROMWELL WINCHESTER[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born Feb. 9, 1815; died Feb. 4, 1816.

(*Gen. IV*) JAMES WINCHESTER[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born Nov. 8, 1816; died June 18, 1873; married, Dec. 21, 1846, ELIZABETH SMITH of Waterford, Ireland.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

1. EMILY WINCHESTER, married J. Beale Howard.
2. WILLIAM WINCHESTER.
3. ANNIE WINCHESTER.
4. ARTHUR S. WINCHESTER.
5. ELIZABETH WINCHESTER.
6. MARY WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) GEORGE WINCHESTER[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born July 14, 1818, in Baltimore, Md.; emigrated to West Tennessee in 1831; married, Oct. 9, 1839, JANE C.

Nixon, daughter of Col. Richard Nixon of North Carolina. She was born Oct. 10, 1821; died Jan. 22, 1887. Col. Richard Nixon and family emigrated to Tennessee in 1822.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF GEORGE AND JANE C. (NIXON) WINCHESTER.

1. Mary Henrietta Winchester, born July 24, 1840; died Aug. 2, 1867; married Dr. W. Spott Smith, Jan. 1, 1866.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN.

i. Henrietta Winchester Smith, born July 19, 1867; died Jan. 16, 1887.

2. William Winchester, born Aug. 6, 1842; died Oct. 23, 1843.
3. George Winchester, born Feb. 15, 1844; died June 15, 1845.
4. Thomas Irwin Winchester, born Aug. 25, 1845; died Jan. 28, 1846.
5. William Winchester, born Aug. 21, 1846; died Aug. 13, 1853.
6. Nixon Winchester, born March 14, 1849; died June 10, 1849.
7. Elizabeth Winchester, born June 14, 1850; married Dr. H. H. Bickford, Nov. 21 or 24, 1872.

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN.

i. William Atkinson Bickford, born Feb. 11, 1874.
ii. Henry Winchester Bickford, born May 24, 1886.

8. Annie Cromwell Winchester, born June 15, 1852; died Sept. 1, 1853.
9. John Cromwell Winchester, born April 13, 1854; died Sept. 26, 1887.
10. Ellen Irwin Winchester, born Jan. 1, 1856; married James C. Nixon, Oct. 27, 1887.
11. James Winchester, born July 14, 1857; died Aug. 12, 1860.
12. Jennie Nixon Winchester, born Aug. 2, 1860; married J. B Rohrerce of Lancaster, Pa., Dec. 2, 1886.

(*Gen. IV*) Thomas C. Winchester[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born Dec. 8, 1819; died Feb. 10, 1847.

(*Gen. IV*) Anne C. Winchester, daughter of William and Henrietta (Cromwell) Winchester, born Aug. 2, 1821; died July 24, 1823.

(*Gen. IV*) Elizabeth Winchester, daughter of William and Henrietta (Cromwell) Winchester, born Dec. 10, 1823; married Dr. F. Donaldson of Baltimore, Md.

(*Gen. IV*) Talbot Winchester[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born Sept. 13, 1826; died May, 1858.

(*Gen. IV*) William Winchester[4] (*William*[1], *William*[2], *William*[3]), born Dec. 6, 1828; died at Guyamas, Mexico.

(*Gen. II*) James Winchester[2] (*William*[1]), son of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, born Feb. 6, 1752 at White Level (now Westminster), Md., near Gallatin; died at his family seat at Cragfont, near Gallatin, Sumner County, Tenn., July 27, 1826; married Susan Black.

James Winchester entered the Continental Army at the commencement of hostilities against Great Britain, and continued in the army until peace was declared. He was commissioned May 27, 1778, a Lieutenant in the Third Regiment of Maryland Infantry. (Scharf's History of Maryland, Vol. 3, p. 764.) He was captured by the British and exchanged Dec. 22, 1780.

In 1784 James Winchester, with his brother George, migrated to Tennessee and purchased there a large tract of land, the site of the present city of Memphis.

James was also at the siege of Yorktown and at the surrender of Cornwallis. On March 27, 1812, he was appointed a Brigadier-General in the regular army, and Sept. 18 he relieved Gen. William Henry Harrison of his command at Fort Wayne, much to the dissatisfaction of the soldiers, who did not wish to serve under the new commander. He commanded at the battle of the River Raison, where he was defeated and taken as a prisoner to Quebec, and confined at Beauport, near that city, till his exchange in 1814.

On March 21, 1815, he resigned his commission in the army and afterwards resided at Cragfont (near Gallatin, Sumner County), his Tennessee estate, where he died in 1826. (Partly taken from notes of Winchester Hall, and from Appleton's Cyclopaedia of American Biography, by James Grant Wilson and John Fiske.)

The Society of the Cincinnati of Maryland Records show that Capt. James Winchester signed the "Amended Constitution" about 1784. He was of Frederick County, Md., and had served seven years, to the dissolution of the army in 1783.

(Thomas Edward Sears, Secretary of the Society of the Cincinnati of Maryland. Baltimore, April 24, 1902.)

Heitman's Historical Register of Continental Officers, on p. 440, says: "James Winchester (Md.) 2nd Lieut. 2nd Md., to 20 Feb'y, 1777; 1st Lieut. 27 May, 1778; taken prisoner at Charleston, 12 May, 1780; transferred to 3d Md. 1st Jan., 1781; Capt. 1781, served to close of war. Brig.-General U. S. Army, 27 March, 1812; resigned 31 March, 1815."

James Winchester, Lieut. 1780-81; 1775-1783. James Winchester, Capt. commissioned F. 9, 1782, on duty till Aug. 1783. (Muster Rolls of Maryland, pp. 357, 478.)

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF GEN. JAMES AND SUSAN (BLACK) WINCHESTER.

1. MARCUS WINCHESTER of Memphis, Tenn.
2. NAPOLEON WINCHESTER.
3. VALERIUS WINCHESTER.
4. CAROLINE WINCHESTER, married —— Shelby, and died leaving one child:

   i. LAURA SHELBY, married Henry Blood.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN.

a. MARIE BLOOD, married Charles Walsh, Jr.
b. LAURA BLOOD, married Commander Converse of the Navy.
c. MATTIE WALKER BLOOD, married Cornelius S. Lee; died leaving children.
d. HENRY BLOOD.
e. LAWTON BLOOD.
f. MAUD BLOOD, married —— Sanderson.
g. OLGA BLOOD, died unmarried.
h. FLORA BLOOD.

5. MARIA WINCHESTER, married James W. Breedlove of New Orleans.

CHILDREN.

i. OPHELIA BREEDLOVE, married Pierre Achille Hardy of New Orleans.
ii. WILDA BREEDLOVE, married T. Wightman Smith.
iii. JULIAN BREEDLOVE.
iv. NAPOLEON BREEDLOVE.
v. WINCHESTER BREEDLOVE.

6. Selina Winchester, married —— Robeson, and died leaving one child:
   i. Susan Robeson, married Horace Hill of New Orleans.
7. Lucillus Winchester.
8. James Winchester.
9. George W. Winchester, father of Mrs. Alice W. Person.

(*Gen. II*) Mary Winchester, daughter of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, born Oct. 17, 1755; died Oct. 31, 1799; married —— Roberts.

1. Lydia Roberts, married —— Yost.
2. Rachel Roberts, married —— Stuart.
3. George Roberts.
4. William Roberts.
5. Sarah Roberts, married —— Corbit.
6. Sydney Roberts, married —— Lytle.
7. Mary Roberts, married Carneal.
8. John Roberts.
9. Stephen Roberts.
10. Amelia Roberts, married —— McCarty.
11. Catherine Roberts, married —— Scott.

(*Gen. II*) George Winchester[2] (*William*[1]), son of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, was born March 6, 1757. A member of the Society of the Cincinnati. Killed by Indians, July 9, 1794, near Gallatin, Tenn. Never married.

George Winchester, Lieut., commissioned Jan. 1, 1779. Ensign George Winchester, commissioned April 8, 1777. (Muster Rolls of Maryland, pp. 478, 600.)

He served through the Revolutionary War and held the rank of Lieutenant in the Revolutionary Army, and was a prisoner of war at Charleston, S. C. (See Scharf's History of Maryland, Vol. 3, p. 772.)

In 1784 he, with his brother James, migrated to Tennessee and built a mill there; also purchased a large tract of land the site of the present city of Memphis. In 1794, on July 9, George Winchester was waylaid and killed by Indians near Gallatin, Tenn.

From Dr. Thomas Edward Sears, Secretary of the Society of the Cincinnati of Maryland: "The Society of the Cincinnati of Maryland records show that Lieut. George Winchester signed

the 'Amended Constitution' about 1784. Served 5 years and 9 months to the reformation of the army in 1783."

Heitman's Historical Register of Continental officers on page 440, says: George Winchester (Md.) Ensign 4th Md. 1777; 2d Lieut. 15 Sept. 1779. Retired 1st Jan. 1783.

(*Gen. II*) RICHARD WINCHESTER[2] (*William*[1]), son of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, born at White Level, April 17, 1759; died at his home, "Vale of Eden," Jefferson County, Ky., June 20, 1819; married Oct. 26, 1789, REBECCA LAWRENCE, daughter of Benjamin Lawrence. She was born July 4, 1771.

Richard Winchester in 1784 went out to Tennessee to superintend the building of a mill for his brothers, James and George. He, with these two brothers, purchased the site of the present city of Memphis, Tenn. Judge Benjamin Winchester and William Chambers Winchester, his sons, purchased the interest of the other children and heirs, and sold their father's entire share in 1836. After his marriage Richard Winchester settled on Little Pipe Creek in Frederick County (now Carroll County, Md.), where he had a mill. In 1800 he formed the partnership of Winchester, Howard & Co., and moved to Fredericksburg, Va. In 1805 this company having failed, he moved to the Island of Othaheite near Fredericksburg, where the mills of Winchester, Howard & Co. were situated, and although straitened in circumstances, he supported his family until 1808, when his wife's father, Benjamin Lawrence, invited him to Kentucky. He started from Fredericksburg with his family July 18, 1808, and reached Jefferson County, Ky., Aug. 23, 1808.

Benjamin Lawrence gave his son-in-law a farm about ten miles from Louisville, Ky., which joins "Eden," the Lawrence family seat.

Richard Winchester's schooling was limited to part of one summer, but he was regarded by his neighbors as a well-informed man, with excellent judgment. He was one of the Commissioners to lay out the turnpike between Louisville and Lexington, Ky.

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF RICHARD AND REBECCA (LAWRENCE) WINCHESTER.

1. BENJAMIN WINCHESTER, born Aug. 7, 1790; married Carmélite Constant of Louisiana.
2. LAVINIA WINCHESTER, born Sept. 10, 1792; married Francis Snowden of Oldham County, Ky.; died April 16, 1890.
3. MARY WINCHESTER.
4. AMANDA WINCHESTER, born Nov. 24, 1798; married Richard Hall (born Nov. 24, 1788) on May 16, 1816.
5. OLIVIA WINCHESTER, married Alexander Veech.
6. LOUISA WINCHESTER, married James B. Locke.
7. WILLIAM CHAMBERS WINCHESTER, born Feb. 21, 1809; died March 19, 1861; married (1), Oct. 5, 1835, Aimée Pédesclaux; (2) Mrs. Mary Thomas (née Dorsey), daughter of Benjamin Dorsey.

(*Gen. III*) BENJAMIN WINCHESTER[3] (*William*[1], *Richard*[2]), born Aug. 7, 1790. Was a Judge. Married CARMÉLITE CONSTANT of Louisiana.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN AND CARMÉLITE (CONSTANT) WINCHESTER.

1. LAURA WINCHESTER, married Thomas S. Elder of New Orleans in 1842.
2. CONSTANT WINCHESTER, married Carmélite Dorsey.
3. MATILDA WINCHESTER, born Aug. 7, 1827; married (1st) Hermann Doering; (2d) Francis W. Elder of Baltimore.
4. LOUISA WINCHESTER, married Joseph Bowling of New Orleans.
5. RICHARD WINCHESTER, married and had children.
6. BENJAMIN FELIX WINCHESTER, married and had children.
7. MARY WINCHESTER, married Thomas O. Dyer of New Orleans.
8. SIDNEY WINCHESTER, died unmarried.
9. JULIA WINCHESTER, married (1st) Captain O'Rourke of the Confederate States Army. After the death of her husband and of her sister Louisa, she married (2d) her brother-in-law, Joseph Bowling.

(*Gen. III*) LAVINIA WINCHESTER, daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester, born Sept. 10, 1792; died April 16, 1890; married FRANCIS SNOWDEN of Oldham County, Ky., and left two children:

1. MARY L. SNOWDEN, married and had children.
2. RICHARD W. SNOWDEN, married and had children.

(*Gen. III*) MARY WINCHESTER, daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester, married JOSHUA BETHEL

Bowles and died leaving one child, Elmonia Bowles, who married Dr. Nathaniel Barbour of Jefferson County, Ky. She died leaving children.

(*Gen. III*) Amanda Winchester, daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester, born Nov. 24, 1798. (Mother of Winchester Hall of Pocomoke City, Md.) Married, May 16, 1816, Richard Hall, born Nov. 24, 1788.

(*Gen. IV*) children of richard and amanda (winchester) hall.

1. Olivia Hall, born Oct. 15, 1817; married Oct. 25, 1836, Rev. David Todd Stuart. He died Sept. 26, 1868; she died May 12, 1875. They had eleven children.
2. Winchester Hall, born Nov. 12, 1819; married, Aug. 15, 1849, Ruth Maria Carr. They had six children.
3. Maria Louisa Hall, born Oct. 8, 1821; died Oct. 17, 1879; married Rev. George J. Reed. They had four children.
4. Lycurgus Hall, died in infancy.
5. Carmélite Hall, died in infancy.

(*Gen. III*) Olivia Winchester, daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester, married Alexander Veech and had:

1. Frances Veech, married —— Sanders.
2. Rebecca Veech, died unmarried.
3. James Veech, died young.
4. Richard Veech, married.

(*Gen. III*) Louisa Winchester, daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Lawrence) Winchester, married James B. Locke and had:

1. Francis Locke, died when about twelve.
2. Louisa Locke, died at fifteen.
3. William Locke, married (2d) his first cousin Ophelia Winchester, sister of Boyd Winchester; they had a daughter Fanny, who married.

(*Gen. III*) William Chambers Winchester[3] (*William*[1], *Richard*[2]), born Feb. 21, 1809; died March 19, 1861; married (1st) Aimée Pédesclaux, Oct. 5, 1835; married (2d) Mrs. Mary Thomas (née Dorsey), daughter of Benjamin Dorsey.

(*Gen. IV*) CHILDREN OF WILLIAM CHAMBERS WINCHESTER BY FIRST WIFE, AIMÉE PÉDESCLAUX.

1. LAVINIA WINCHESTER, married Charles M. Harwood.
2. CORINNE WINCHESTER, died in infancy.
3. OPHELIA WINCHESTER, married William Locke.
4. JOHN WINCHESTER, married and had children.
5. BOYD WINCHESTER, born Sept. 23, 1836.

CHILD BY SECOND WIFE, MRS. MARY THOMAS.

6. WILLIAM C. WINCHESTER.

(*Gen. IV*) HON. BOYD WINCHESTER[4] (*William*[1], *Richard*[2], *William Chambers*[3]), born Sept. 23, 1836, Parish of Ascension, La.; married (1st) ALICE PECK, Sept. 30, 1857; married (2d), Sept. 17, 1867, LILLIAN BOWLES, youngest daughter of Joshua B. and Grace (Shreve) Bowles. Lillian Bowles was born Jan. 28, 1845 died Feb. 12, 1873.

Grace Shreve was from Louisville, Ky.

Joshua Bowles was President of the Louisville Bank and lived at his large country place near Louisville, Ky.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF HON. BOYD WINCHESTER AND FIRST WIFE, ALICE PECK.

1. LANDRY WINCHESTER, born Oct. 1, 1858; died May 27, 1874, at the age of sixteen.
2. ALICE WINCHESTER, born Dec. 2, 1862; married, May 17, 1882, Joe C. Phillips of Lebanon, Marion County, Ky. He is a stock farmer and lives at Lebanon, Ky. (1902.)

(*Gen. VI*) CHILDREN.

i. BOYD WINCHESTER PHILLIPS.
ii. JAMES PHILLIPS.
iii. LILYON WINCHESTER PHILLIPS.

(*Gen. V*) CHILDREN OF HON. BOYD WINCHESTER AND SECOND WIFE, LILLIAN BOWLES.

3. LILLIAN WINCHESTER, married at Louisville, Ky., April, 1899, to Louis Jones of New York City, son of Theodore Francis Jones and Johanna Catherine Meyer of New York. Louis Jones was born Jan. 19, 1868. Lillian Winchester Jones died at Saranac Lake, in the Adirondacks, in 1905.

Theodore Francis Jones, son of William Jones and Lilly Maxwell of Rio Janeiro, Brazil. Theodore F. Jones married

Mrs. Louis Jones.

Née Lillian Winchester,
Daughter of Hon. Boyd Winchester of Louisville, Ky.

Johanna C. Meyer, daughter of Henry and Margaret (Palmer) Meyer, both of New York City. (From Lillian Winchester Jones in June, 1902.)

(*Gen. VI*) CHILD OF LOUIS AND LILLIAN (WINCHESTER) JONES.

i. LOUIS WINCHESTER JONES, born March 31, 1900, at "Wye Heights," near Easton, Talbot County, Md.

(*Gen. II*) STEPHEN WINCHESTER[2] (*William*[1]), son of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, born May 30, 1761; died in Sumner County, Tenn., April 17, 1815; married SALLY HOWARD of Baltimore County, Md.

Stephen, with his brother Richard and Joshua Howard, his brother-in-law, were partners under the firm name of Winchester, Howard & Co. The firm built large flour mills at Fredericksburg, Va., about 1805, and had a store in Fredericksburg in connection with their mills, but failed in business in consequence of restrictive laws passed by Congress, previous to the War of 1812. Stephen Winchester, who made his home in Fredericksburg, is said to have lived in elegant style. In 1808 he migrated to Tennessee and died in Sumner County of that State, April 17, 1815.

William Hall, Cashier First National Bank of Gallatin, Tenn., is a great-grandson of Stephen Winchester.

(*Gen. III*) CHILDREN OF STEPHEN AND SALLY (HOWARD) WINCHESTER.

1. ELIZA WINCHESTER.
2. PALEMON WINCHESTER, settled in Illinois.
3. MARY ANN WINCHESTER, married Anthony B. Shelby.
4. ISABELLE WINCHESTER, married the Rev. Mr. Greene.
5. ANNE WINCHESTER, married —— McDaniel, and died leaving two children:

   i. ANNE MCDANIEL.
   ii. MARTHA MCDANIEL.

6. SARAH WINCHESTER.
7. LYDIA WINCHESTER, married —— McDaniel.
8. EMILY WINCHESTER, married —— Sehlatre.
9. POLLY WINCHESTER.
10. ALEXANDER HAMILTON WINCHESTER.

11. Rebecca Winchester.
12. Frances (?) Winchester, married —— McLain, and died leaving one child:
    i. Fanny McLain.

(*Gen. II*) Elizabeth Winchester, born April 19, 1763; died June 12, 1847.

(*Gen. II*) Lydia Winchester, born Dec. 27, 1766; died April 19, 1849.

The above sisters, daughters of William and Lydia (Richards) Winchester, never married, but lived together in a comfortable house built for them on the estate at White Level, near Westminster. Elizabeth died June 12, 1847, and Lydia April 19, 1849. They were buried near their father and mother in the old churchyard at Westminster, Md.

(*Gen. II*) David Winchester[2] (*William*[1]), born April 10, 1769; died Jan. 13, 1835, and was buried in the old churchyard at Westminster, Md. Never married.

David Winchester was a leading merchant in Baltimore. Mr. Winchester Hall says: "I am under the impression that William and David were partners in business. David lost largely by the French spoliations and died comparatively poor."

David Winchester and others petition for a new Court House, 1809; was one of the managers present at its dedication in 1816. (Chronicles of Baltimore, p. 296.)

PART FIFTH

CHAPTER I

ALEXANDER WINCHESTER.

List of ancient names in Boston and vicinity, 1630-1644: Winchester. Braintree. (N. E. Gen. Register, Vol. I, p. 195.)

List of freemen in the Massachusetts Colony, from Colonial Records: Dec. 7, 1636, Alexander Winchester. (N. E. Gen. Register, Vol. III, p. 94.)

Alexander Winchester sailed from London in ship *Defence,* Aug., 1635, reaching Boston, Oct., 1635.

He was made a freeman Dec. 7, 1636, and settled in Braintree, Mass. He became an extensive land owner and filled many important positions of trust. He was always called "Mr." in old colonial days, a term only used for gentlemen at that period, and thus his name is found in old land grants and deeds. He was Representative from Braintree in 1641; Ensign of the Braintree company and a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston. He removed to Rehoboth, Mass., in 1643, was Selectman there 1645, '46 and '47, and was one of the proprietors of that township. His will is at Plymouth, dated 4, 4, 1647. Proved June 8, 1648. (Jackson's Newton and other sources.)

Two of his daughters married well-known gentlemen. The eldest became the wife of Nicholas Peck of Rehoboth, and the youngest married Justice Smith of Norwich, Conn., whose father was one of the founders of that town.

Alexander Winchester left his wife executrix of his will, and he left four daughters, but no son is mentioned in his will.

His four daughters were (Boston Records, 1630-1699, p. 5):

1. Marie Winchester, baptized 19, 9, 1637. She died Nov. 6, 1657. Married Nicholas Peck. (Peck Genealogy.)
2. Elizabeth Winchester, born 28, 10, 1640. (In Braintree, probably from returns to County Clerk.)
3. Hannah Winchester, born 10, 10, 1642. (In Braintree, probably from returns to County Clerk.) (Another daughter is mentioned as born in Rehoboth.)
4. Lydia Winchester, born in Rehoboth; married Justice Smith (Nehemiah Smith, Jr.) of Norwich, Conn., Oct. 28, 1669. (N. E. Genealogical Register, Vol. 3, p. 248.)

"Mr. Justice Smith," as Nehemiah Smith, Jr., usually was styled, is the gentleman above mentioned. He was son of N. S., one of the founders of Norwich, and was born in New Haven. He married Lydia, daughter of Alexander Winchester of Roxbury, Oct. 28, 1669 (not Oct. 24). (N. E. Gen. Register, p. 77, Connecticut Colonial Documents.)

Marie Winchester, baptized 19, 9, 1637, eldest daughter of Alexander Winchester, married Nicholas Peck. One son, Joseph Peck, born Oct. 27, 1650.

Peck Genealogy, 1868, by Ira B. Peck, p. 13: Robert Peck was a descendant in the twenty-first generation from John Peck of Belton, Yorkshire. His son Joseph was baptized in Beccles, Suffolk County, England, April 30, 1587; came to Hingham, Mass., 1638. His son Nicholas was baptized in Hingham, Norfolk County, England, April 9, 1630, so was eight years of age when his father brought him to Hingham, Mass., in 1638. Nicholas removed to Seekonk 1645. Ensign, Lieut., Capt. He died May 27, 1710. Mary, his first wife, died Nov. 6, 1657. By Mary he had one son: Joseph Peck, born Oct. 27, 1650.

Capt. Nicolas Peck, Esq., married (2d) Rebecca ——.

Rebecca, wife of Captain Nicholas Peck, died Nov. 2, 1714. (Rehoboth Vital Statistics, p. 861.)

Rehoboth Vital Statistics, p. 407:

Lidia Winchester married Oct. 28, 1669, Nehemiah Smith.

List of Purchases, p. 910:

Mr. Winchester's lot valued £195. in 1643.

His will, probated June 8, 1648, names wife and children under 15 years of age.

Massachusetts Bay Colony Records, P. I, pp. 291, 295, 306, 345, 346:

291. It is agreed with our neighbors of Mount Wollaston, Alexander Winchester (with others) that they should give to Boston a certain proportion of acres upon expectation that they should continue with us, etc. May 13, 1640.

295. Committee for Braintree, which was called "Mount Wollaston," May 13, 1640, Alexander Winchester.

N. E. Hist. Gen. Register, Vol. IV, p. 283, contains the will of Alexander Winchester (Rehoboth), died July 16, 1647; will proved June 8, 1648. "He gave one-half of his property to his wife whom he named as executrix."

Plymouth Colony Records, Vol. I, p. 120:

"Richard Bourn, Lieut. Peter Hunt and John Allin of Rehoboth, who were appointed by the Court to be overseers of the children and estate of Mr. Alexander Winchester have declared onto the Court theire joynt consent that the portion, viz: the house and land etc., be desposed onto Mr. Nicolas Pecke, who is joyned in marriage with the eldest of the said Mr. Winchester's daughtirs, shall bee confeirmed onto him."

P. 142. . . . said overseers "have appointed onto Mr. Nicolas Pecke a home lott of land, being twelve acres, more or less in the town of Rehoboth, with a house and barne thereon and all and singuilar the appurtenances belonging onto the said premises as his part or portion of land, with his wife, named Mary, the eldest daughter of the said Mr. Winchester."

Savage's Genealogical Dictionary, Vol. IV, and Plymouth Colony Records (Shurtleff) have notices of Alexander Winchester.

Alexander Winchester was probably a brother of John Winchester, Jr., but the fact has never been proved.

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